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No. 1

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 25th January, 1934

The Senate met this day at half-past two of the clock in the afternoon, being the fifth session of the Seventeenth Parliament of Canada, as summoned by Proclamation.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dandurand,	Logan,	Parent,
Ballantyne,	Dennis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Planta,
Beaubien,	Fauteux,	Macdonell,	Pope,
Béland,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Graham,	McDonald,	Raymond,
Black,	Hardy,	McGuire,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McLennan,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Hocken,	McRae,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Horner,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Calder,	Horsey,	Michener,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Laird,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Copp,	Lemieux,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Little,	Murphy,	Wilson
			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Secretary to the Governor General, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 10th January, 1934.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Session of the Dominion Parliament on Thursday, the 25th January, at three p.m.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. F. LASCELLES,

Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate was adjourned during pleasure.

After a while, His Excellency the Governor General having come, and being seated on the Throne,—

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that,—

It is His Excellency the Governor General's pleasure that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber.

Who being come, with their Speaker,

His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to open the Session by a Gracious Speech to both Houses, as follows:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

You are summoned for the despatch of public business at a time when there are sound reasons for believing that the world is gradually returning to economic stability. I congratulate you that such improved world conditions are reflected in Canada by expanding trade, improving revenues, increasing employment, and a more confident outlook upon the future. Canada occupies a leading position amongst those countries where the evidence of a return to permanent prosperity is most convincing.

Since I have been associated with you as the representative of His Majesty in Canada, I have visited every Province of the Dominion. I have been greatly impressed by the loyalty, devotion and friendliness of the people, as well as the high courage with which men and women were meeting and overcoming abnormal difficulties in their daily lives.

The Ottawa Trade Agreements have now been in operation for a full year and the results indicate substantial expansion of Canadian-Empire trade over the preceding year. It is worthy of note that the Agreements are proving beneficial to all Empire countries. The trading position of the Empire in the world has steadily improved. Canada has again resumed her place as the fifth exporting nation. Our favourable trade balances have enabled us to discharge our international obligations and have greatly lessened the difficulties of the international exchange situation.

The temporary trade arrangements made with Germany and Austria have been further extended. Canadian products are now receiving most favoured tariff treatment in those countries in exchange for the grant of our intermediate tariff on their products.

The prices of agricultural products, which have fallen in recent years to the lowest level in history, have shown substantial improvement in the last few months. My Government realize, however, that further increases in price levels are necessary to insure success to those engaged in agriculture. You will be invited to consider legislation designed to facilitate the efficient and profitable marketing of livestock and agricultural products.

Members of my Government participated in the World Monetary and Economic Conference convened in London in June of last year. The Reports approved by the Conference and the Resolutions adopted by the Bureau and the Executive Committee as well as certain agreements entered into by my Government designed to mitigate fluctuations in the price of silver will be laid before you. The Conference adjourned without dealing with many important subjects, but arrived at conclusions of especial interest and concern to Canada in respect to central banks, the gold standard, and the percentage of metallic coverage essential to the successful functioning of gold as a medium of international exchange. During the Conference, my Ministers informally met the representatives of the United Kingdom and other countries of the British Commonwealth of Nations, with a view to the further development of Empire co-operation; and adopted certain resolutions with respect to monetary and financial policies, which will be laid before you.

In July of last year, my Government appointed a Royal Commission to inquire into and report upon the operation of the banking and monetary system of Canada, with particular reference to the provisions and working of the Bank Act, the Dominion Notes Act, the Finance Act and the Currency Act, and the advisability of establishing a central banking institution. You will be invited to consider legislation for the establishment of a Central Bank, the extension and revision of Bank Charters, which were extended at the last session of Parliament to the first day of July, 1934, and to consider further appropriate additions and amendments to our banking and monetary legislation.

My Government, acting with representatives of other wheat exporting countries, as well as representatives of wheat importing countries, have entered into an agreement for relieving the world market from the disastrous price-depressing influence of abnormal surplus wheat stocks. It is a matter of satisfaction that the parties to this agreement are co-operating with a degree of effectiveness which is already reflected in improved prices. The agreement will be laid before you.

Since prorogation, my Government made a public offering of Canadian securities in the United Kingdom. This was the first time in over fifteen years that Canada had negotiated a loan in the British market. The reception of the loan was gratifying in the extreme, indicating the high standing of Canadian credit.

My Government have been giving careful consideration to measures that might be adopted for the establishment of agricultural short term and intermediate credits; and have invited representatives of the Provinces to study the means by which practical effect may be given to the recommendations in this respect made by the Royal Commission on Monetary and Banking Problems:

Since prorogation, my Government, under the authority of The Relief Act, 1933, have continued to assist financially the Provinces in the discharge of their constitutional obligations.

My Government have recently concluded a Conference with the representatives of all the Provinces, when, after the fullest discussion, it was agreed that it was desirable, in the national interest, that assistance to the Provinces should not be wholly discontinued until the return of more normal conditions. The extent and method of affording such assistance were left for negotiation between my Government and the Governments of the several Provinces.

The representatives of the various Provinces strongly approved of the arrangements made by my Government to care for single, unemployed, homeless men in camps until such time as they could be absorbed in industry, by providing them with employment on undertakings for the national good; and of the provision made in 1932 for settlement of families on the land, which has been extended with satisfactory results. My Government propose further to promote employment by expenditures on essential public works and undertakings throughout the Dominion.

You will be invited to consider, among others, measures relating to the Excise Act, the Companies Act, the Judges Act, and the Elections Act.

Members of the House of Commons:

The accounts of the last year will be laid before you. The estimates for the coming year will be submitted at an early date. They have been prepared with a regard for rigid economy consistent with the requirements of the public service.

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

I invoke the Divine blessing upon your deliberations, confident that the measures submitted for your consideration will receive your earnest attention.

The Commons withdrew.

His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to retire.

After some time the Senate was resumed.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen presented to the Senate a Bill intituled: "An Act relating to Railways."
The said Bill was read the first time.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that a copy of the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General had been left in his hands.

The same was read by The Honourable the Speaker.

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the Report of the Joint Librarians of Parliament, for the year 1933.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT

Report of the Librarians for 1933

To the Honourable the Speaker of the Senate.

The Joint Librarians of Parliament have the honour to submit their Report on the Library for 1933.

The work connected with the printing of the Supplementary Catalogue of books donated and purchased during the year 1933 is well advanced, and the volume will be issued somewhat earlier than usual.

The vacancy in the position of General Librarian, following the death of Mr. J. de L. Taché, was filled last winter by the appointment of Mr. Félix Desrochers, formerly librarian of the Municipal Library of Montreal. Mr. Desrochers is a member of the legal profession, and assumed his new duties in February, 1933.

Amongst the valuable acquisitions made in recent years by the Library has been "The Private Papers of James Boswell from Malahide Castle." This unique work has been published in eighteen volumes, the last of which has just been received.

Amongst donations of interest have been a set of "The Letters of Sir Walter Scott" by an anonymous donor in England; from the Mayor of Genoa, a large illustrated volume entitled "Christopher Columbus: documents and proofs of his Genoese origin"; and also there was received from the Mayor of Tokyo a beautiful volume entitled "The Reconstruction of Tokyo," given to the Library as a token of gratitude for Canada's contribution to Japan at the time of the great earthquake, in 1923.

Although it was found necessary to maintain the reduction in the Library's estimates, put into force in 1932, the Librarians have endeavoured to add to the collection all new and important works dealing with economic and other matters of special importance to Parliament.

Respectfully submitted,

M. BURRELL,
Parliamentary Librarian.

FELIX DESROCHERS,
General Librarian.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Clerk had received certificates from the Honourable the Secretary of State of Canada showing that—

The Honourable Guillaume André Fauteux,
Lucien Moraud, Esquire,
Horatio Clarence Hocken, Esquire,
Alfred Ernest Fripp, Esquire,
Louis Coté, Esquire,
Ralph Byron Horner, Esquire, and
Walter Morley Aseltine, Esquire

respectively, have been summoned to the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there were Senators without, waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable Guillaume André Fauteux was introduced between the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senator Beaubien, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

BESSBOROUGH
(L.S.)

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved the Honourable Guillaume André Fauteux, K.C., of the City of Outremont, in the Province of Quebec, in Our Dominion of Canada, a member of Our Privy Council for Canada,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do appoint you for the de Salaberry Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec, and We do command you that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed.

Witness: Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Vere Brabazon, Earl of Bessborough, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, formerly Captain in Our Territorial Army, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this thirtieth day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and in the twenty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

C. H. CAHAN,
Secretary of State for Canada.

The Honourable Senator Fauteux came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Fauteux had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Lucien Moraud was introduced between the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senator Chapais, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

BESSBOROUGH

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Lucien Moraud, of the City of Quebec, in the Province of Quebec, in Our Dominion of Canada, one of Our Counsel learned in the Law, for the said Province,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do appoint you for the La Salle Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec, and We do command you that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

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By Command,

C. H. CAHAN,
Secretary of State of Canada.

The Honourable Senator Moraud came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Moraud had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Horatio Clarence Hocken, was introduced between the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senator White (Pembroke), and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

BESSBOROUGH

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Horatio Clarence Hocken, Esquire, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, in our Dominion of Canada,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

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By Command,

C. H. CAHAN,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Hocken came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Hocken had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Alfred Ernest Fripp was introduced between the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senator White (Pembroke), and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

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BESSBOROUGH

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Alfred Ernest Fripp, Esquire, of the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, in our Dominion of Canada, one of His Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

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By Command,

C. H. CAHAN,
Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Fripp came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Fripp had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Louis Coté was introduced between the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senator Chapais, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

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BESSBOROUGH

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Louis Coté, Esquire, of the City of Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, in our Dominion of Canada, one of His Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

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By Command,

C. H. CAHAN,
Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Coté came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Coté had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Ralph Byron Horner was introduced between the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senator Marcotte, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

BESSBOROUGH

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Ralph Byron Horner, Esquire, of Blaine Lake, in the Province of Saskatchewan, in Our Dominion of Canada,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

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At Our Government House, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this thirtieth day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three and in the twenty-fourth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

C. H. CAHAN,
Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Horner came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Horner had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Walter Morley Aseltine was introduced between the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senator Marcotte, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

BESSBOROUGH

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE FIFTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Walter Morley Aseltine, Esquire, of Rose-town, in the Province of Saskatchewan, in Our Dominion of Canada, One of His Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear, for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

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Witness: Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Vere Brabazon, Earl of Bessborough, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, formerly Captain in Our Territorial Army, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

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By Command,

C. H. CAHAN,
Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Aseltine came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Aseltine had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 30th January, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 30th January, 1934

No. 1.

25th January—Consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the Fifth Session of the seventeenth Parliament.—(Honourable Senator Hocken.)



No. 2

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 30th January, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Parent,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	Logan,	Planta,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,
Beaubien,	Fripp,	Macdonell,	Prevost,
Béland,	Gordon,	Marcotte,	Rainville,
Black,	Graham,	McDonald,	Rankin,
Blondin,	Hardy,	McGuire,	Robinson,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McMeans,	Sharpe,
Brown,	Hocken,	McRae,	Sinclair,
Calder,	Horner,	Meighen,	Smith,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Michener,	Tanner,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Molloy,	Taylor,
Copp,	Laird,	Moraud,	Tobin,
Coté,	Lemieux,	Murdock,	Turgeon,
Dandurand,			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Annual Report of the Department of Railways and Canals for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933. (English and French editions.)

Annual Report of the Department of Marine for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933. (English and French editions.)

Amendments to Radio Regulations.

Report of the work of the Department of Pensions and National Health, the Board of Pension Commissioners for Canada, the Pension Tribunal, the Pension Appeal Court and the War Veterans Allowance Committee, for the year ended 31st March, 1933.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for Sick and Distressed Mariners for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Statement regarding Regulations under Section 6, Pensions and National Health Act.

Statement in respect to the Public Works Health Act.

Statement in respect to Regulations made under the Proprietary or Patent Medicines Act.

Annual Report of the Department of Fisheries for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Report of the Department of Labour for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933, including the reports of proceedings under the following statutes:—

Labour Department Act,

Conciliation and Labour Act,

Fair Wages and Eight Hour Day Act,

Industrial Disputes Investigation Act,

Government Annuities Act,

Employment Offices Co-ordination Act,

Technical Education Act,

Combines Investigation Act,

Old Age Pensions Act, and

Unemployment Relief Measures.

Report of the Minister of Agriculture for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Copies of Orders in Council passed under authority of the Cold Storage Act for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Copies of Regulations passed under authority of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Return showing Land Sales and Leases cancelled by the Department of Indian Affairs from 1st September, 1932, to 31st December, 1933.

Statement of Enfranchisements under Section 114 of the Indian Act for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

List of Permits issued to take intoxicating liquors into the Northwest Territories for the calendar year ended 31st December, 1933.

List showing leases, licences, permits or other authorities cancelled under the provisions of section ninety-six, chapter one hundred and thirteen, of The Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927.

Annual Report of the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Ordinances in the Northwest Territories passed in accordance with the provisions of section thirteen, chapter one hundred and forty-two, of The Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927.

Copies of Orders in Council passed since the last return under provisions of the—

Dominion Lands Act, Section 75, Chapter 113, R.S.C. 1927.

Migratory Birds Convention Act, Section 4, Chapter 130, R.S.C. 1927.

Dominion Lands Act, Sections 4 and 75, Chapter 113, R.S.C. 1927—the regulations for the survey, administration, disposal and management of Dominion Lands within the 40 Mile Railway Belt in the Province of British Columbia.

List of apportionments and adjustments of Seed Grain and Relief indebtedness for the year 1933.

Statement of moneys refunded by authority of His Excellency the Governor in Council, under the provisions of Chapter 35, 22-23 George Fifth, being an Act entitled The Refunds (Natural Resources) Act.

Annual Report of the Department of Indian Affairs for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Report of the Commissioner of Patents for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Statement regarding the retirement of Thomas Mulvey, Esquire, K.C.

Report of positions excluded from the operations of the Civil Service Act from 1st October, 1932, to 31st December, 1933.

Statement of all Bonds and Securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada since last return submitted to Parliament.

Ordinances of the Yukon Territory, passed by the Yukon Council in the year 1933.

Annual Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933. (English and French editions.)

Report of the Secretary of State of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Naval General Orders issued during the period 1st February to 1st December, 1933.

General Orders (Militia and Royal Canadian Air Force) issued during the period 1st January to 1st December, 1933.

Militia Orders issued during the period 11th January to 15th December, 1933.

Appointments, Promotions and Retirements (Canadian Militia and Royal Canadian Air Force) from 28th January, 1933, to 20th January, 1934.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That all the Senators present during this Session be appointed a Committee to consider the Orders and Customs of the Senate and Privileges of Parliament, and that the said Committee have leave to meet in the Senate Chamber when and as often as they please.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That pursuant to Rule 77 the following Senators, to wit: The Honourable Senators Beaubien, Buchanan, Dandurand, Graham, Horsey, Sharpe, Tanner, White (Pembroke), and the mover be appointed a Committee of Selection to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees during the present Session; and to report with all convenient speed the names of the Senators so nominated.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the present Session of Parliament:

The Honourable Senator Hocken moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Fauteux:—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely:—

TO HIS EXCELLENCY CAPTAIN THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE EARL OF BESSBOROUGH, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General and Commander in Chief of the Dominion of Canada."

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After debate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Dandurand, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until tomorrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 31st January, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

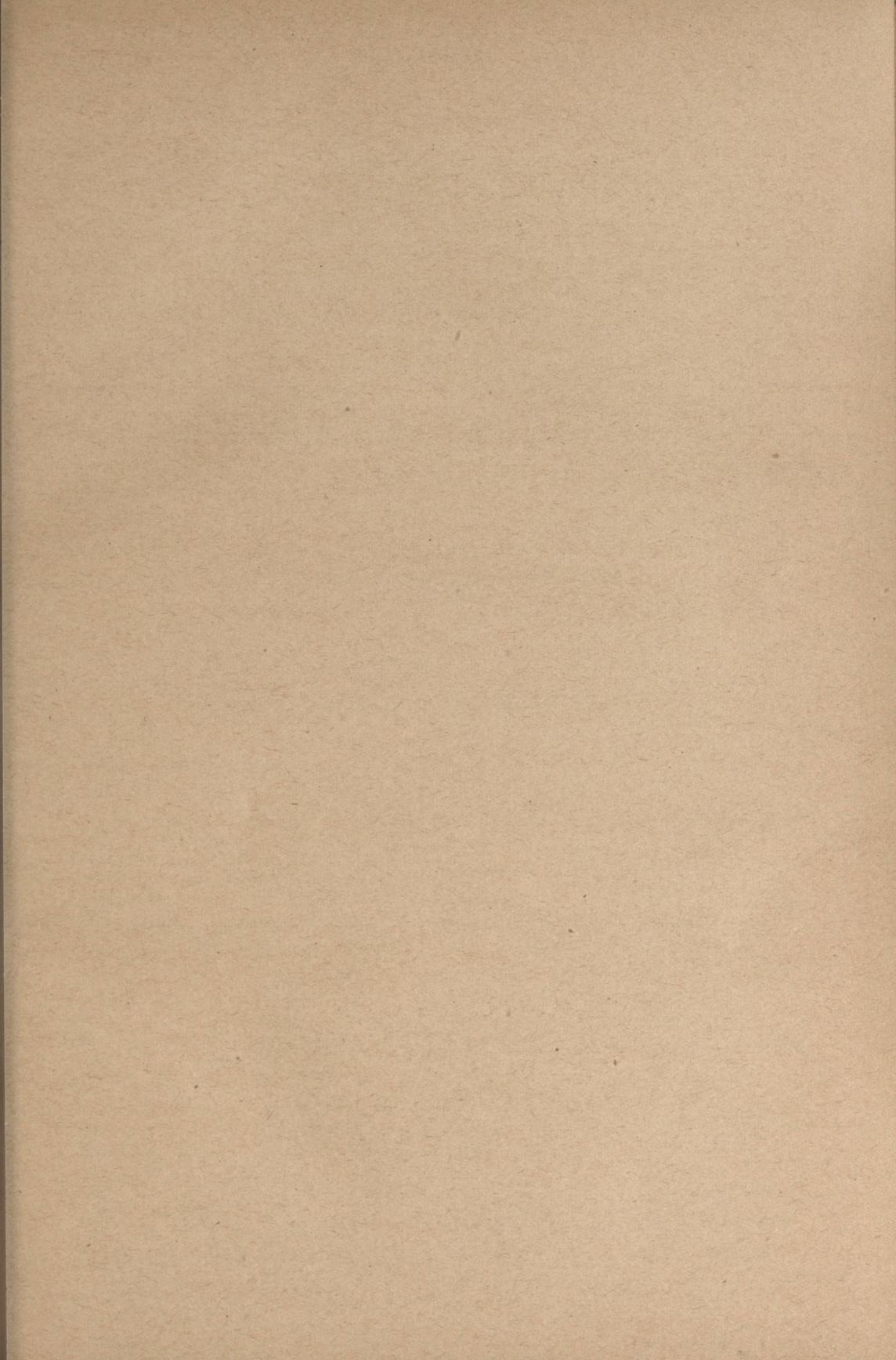
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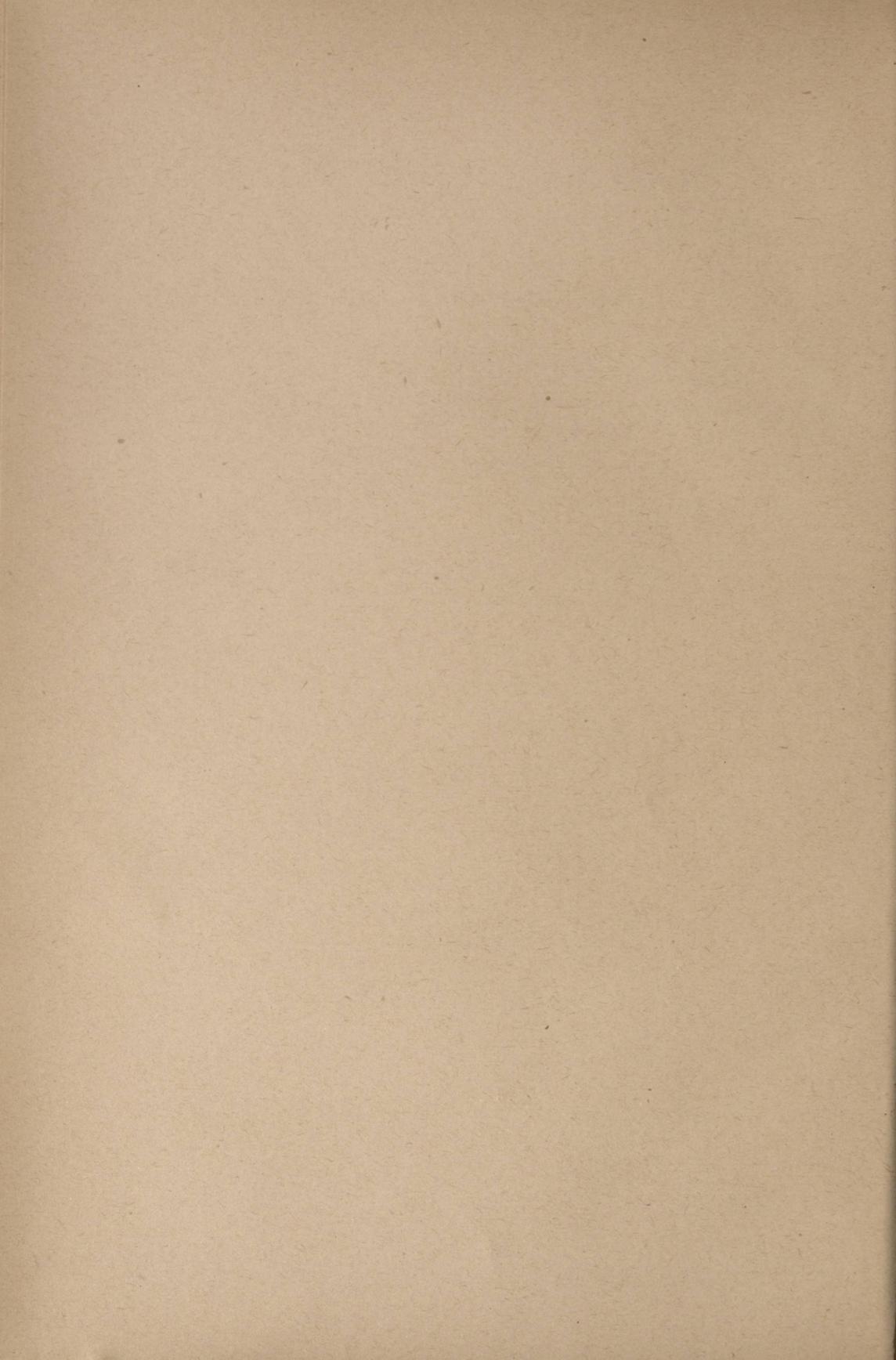
ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 31st January, 1934

No. 1.

30th January—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of Hon. Senator Hocken, seconded by Hon. Senator Fauteux, that a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to deliver to both Houses of Parliament.—(Honourable Senator Dandurand.)





No. 3

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 31st January, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	Lewis,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Logan,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	Lynch-Staunton,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Macdonell,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Rankin,
Béland,	Gordon,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Black,	Graham,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Hardy,	McMeans,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McRae,	Smith,
Brown,	Hocken,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Calder,	Horner,	Michener,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Copp,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	Wilson
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Report of the Department of National Revenue, containing Accounts of Revenue, with statements relative to the Imports, Exports, Excise and Income of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933. (English and French editions.)

Shipping Report of the Department of National Revenue (Customs Division), containing the statements of Navigation and Shipping of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne, at the opening of the present Session of Parliament, and the motion of the Honourable Senator Hocken, seconded by the Honourable Senator Fauteux:—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY CAPTAIN THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE EARL OF BESSBOROUGH, a Member of His Majesty's Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General and Commander in Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until tomorrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 1st February, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 1st February, 1934

No. 1.

31st January—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of Hon. Senator Hocken, seconded by Hon. Senator Fauteux, that a humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to deliver to both Houses of Parliament.—(Honourable Senator Black.)

No. 4

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 1st February, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Dennis,	Lewis,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Donnelly,	Logan,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Fauteux,	Lynch-Staunton,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Foster,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Béland,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Bénard,	Gordon,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Black,	Graham,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Blondin,	Hardy,	McMeans,	Smith,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McRae,	Tanner,
Brown,	Hocken,	Michener,	Taylor,
Calder,	Horner,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Laird,	Murphy,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Lemieux,	Parent,	Wilson
			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Foster:—

Of Alfred Burton Rose and others (Personal Finance Corporation).

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne, at the opening of the present Session of Parliament, and the motion of the Honourable Senator Hocken, seconded by the Honourable Senator Fauteux:—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY CAPTAIN THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE EARL OF BESSBOROUGH, a Member of His Majesty's Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General and Commander in Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

And debate continuing,

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock.

The Senate resumed.

7.30 P.M.

After further debate, and—

The question of concurrence being put on the said motion, it was resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Honourable the Privy Council.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Beaubien, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the twentieth day of February, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Honourable Senator Beaubien, for the Honourable Senator Barnard, presented a Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

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

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday, the twentieth day of February, at three o'clock in the afternoon

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 20th February, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 20th February, 1934

No. 1.

1st February—Second Reading (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 5

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 20th February, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lemieux,	Murphy,
Aylesworth,	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Parent,
(Sir Allen),	Foster,	Logan,	Planta,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Pope
Barnard,	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Beaubien,	Graham,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Green,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Black,	Griesbach,	McCormick;	Robinson,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Smith,
Buchanan	Horsey,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hughes,	Michener,	Tobin,
Chapais,	King,	Molloy,	Webster,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Laird,	Murdock,	Wilson
Dandurand,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Sixteenth Annual Report of the National Research Council, 1932-1933.

Report of the Department of National Defence for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933. (Part I—Militia and Air Services, Part II—Naval Service) English and French editions.

Report of the Department of Labour for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933 (French edition).

Report of the Commissioner of Patents for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933 (French edition).

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," it was—

Ordered, That the said order of the day be postponed until Thursday, next.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen presented to the Senate a Bill (B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932."

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 Thursday, next.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen presented to the Senate a Bill (C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

MONDAY, 14th February, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House has appointed the honourable the Speaker and Messieurs: Barber, Bertrand, Bourassa, Boyes, Butcher, Carmichael, Charters, Chevrier, Cotnam, Dubois, Dupuis, Factor, Ferland, Fontaine, Fortin, Fraser (Cariboo), Gagnon, Girouard, Guthrie, Hepburn, Irvine, Jones, Laffèche, Larue, LaVergne, MacMillan (Saskatoon), McGillis, McGregor, McIntosh, Marciel, Peck, Perley (Sir George), Pouliot, Quinn, Rhéaume, Short, Smoke, Sterling, Thauvette, Thompson (Simcoe East), Thompson (Lanark), White (London) and Wright, a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of the House of Commons are concerned, and to act on behalf of the House of Commons as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the House of Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

MONDAY, 14th February, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House will unite with them in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament, and that the Members of the Select Standing Committee on Printing, viz,—Messieurs: Anderson (Halton), Baribeau, Belec, Boulanger, Bourgeois, Brasset, Charters, Desrochers, Dubois, Embury, Esling, Factor, Fortin, Girouard, Gott, Gray, Hay, Heaps, Howden, Lucas, MacLean, McKenzie (Assiniboia), McLure, Maloney, Marcell, Matthews, Moore (Chateauguay-Huntingdon), Munn, Murphy, Parent, Peck, Perras, Pickel, Porteous, Price, Quinn, Rhéaume, Rinfret, Roberge, Robinson, Rowe, Ryerson, St. Père, Short, Simpson (Simcoe North), Spankie, Spencer, Spotton, Taylor, Tétrault, Verville, Wilson, Woodsworth and Wright, will act as Members on the part of this House, on the said Joint Committee on the Printing of Parliament.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the House of Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

MONDAY, 14th February, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House has appointed the honourable the Speaker and Messieurs: Ahearn, Barrette, Black (Halifax), Carmichael, Garland (Carleton), Hanbury, Howard, Howden, Lafèche, Macphail (Miss), Mitchell, Mullins, Ryerson, Senn, Spankie, Spence, Sproule, Taylor and Thauvette, a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Restaurant, so far as the interests of the Commons are concerned, and to act as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Restaurant.

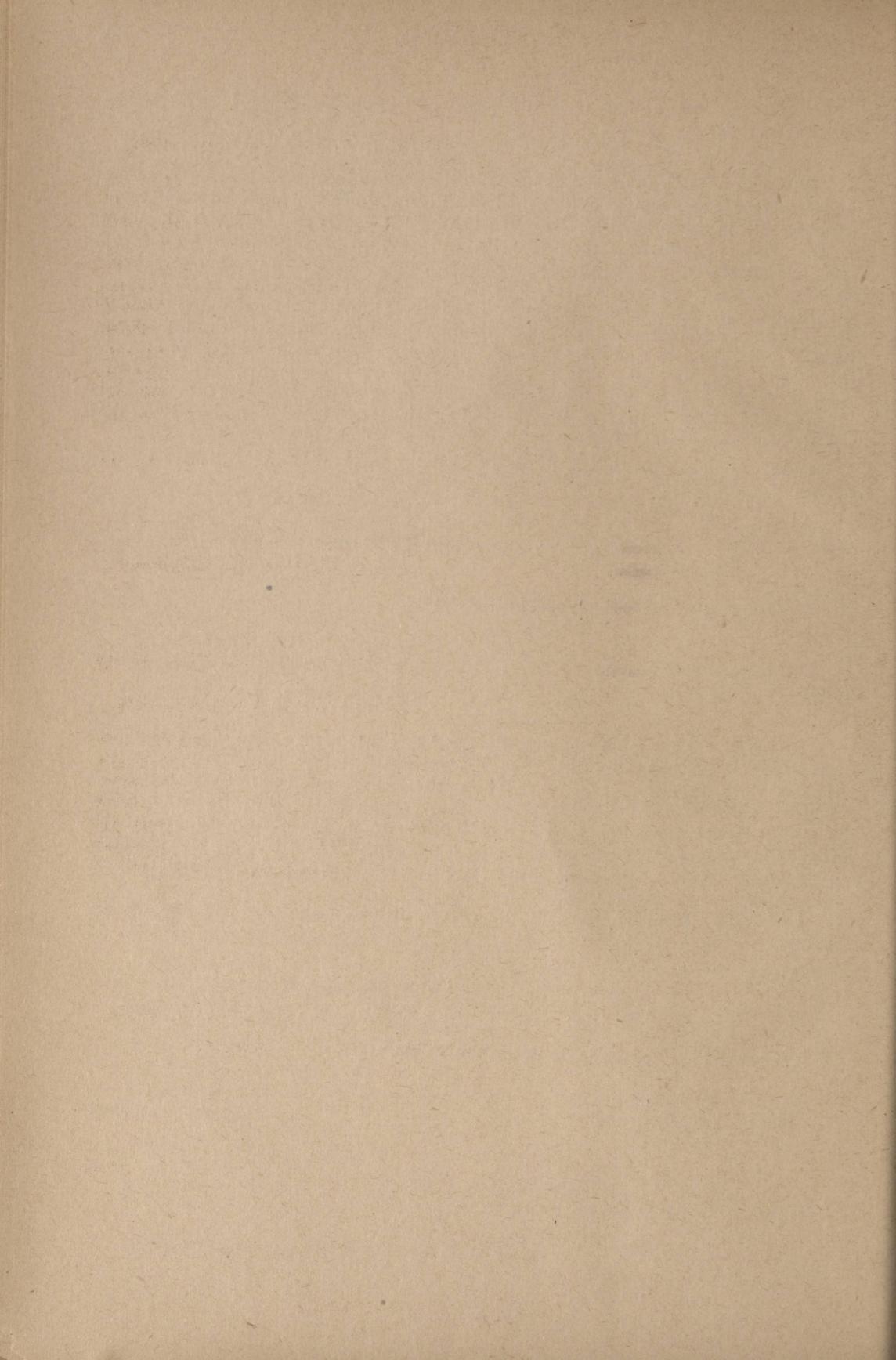
Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the House of Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate adjourned.



ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 21st February, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 22nd February, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

20th February—1. When Manitoba became a province what subsidy did she receive in lieu of public lands?

2. How often has that subsidy been increased since then?

3. What was the date and the amount of each increase?

For Tuesday, 27th February, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

20th February—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the importance of the Hudson Bay route to the Provinces of Western Canada, and will inquire of the Government the cost of same to date.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Foster:—

20th February—That he will enquire of the Government:—

1. How many marine ice-breakers are owned by the Government?

2. What are their names?

3. What is the gross tonnage of each ship?

4. Where is each principally operated?

5. What was the capital cost of each ship?

6. What was the total expense (including repairs) for operation during the fiscal years ending March 31, 1931, 1932, 1933?

MOTION**For Thursday, 22nd February, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

20th February—That the Orders in Council which have been published in the Canada Gazette between the 9th day of September, 1932, and the 31st day of December, 1933, in accordance with provisions of section 75 of the Dominion Lands Act, chapter 113, R.S. 1927, and which were laid on the Table on the 30th day of January, 1934, be approved.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 21st February, 1934

No. 1.

20th February—Second Reading (Bill C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

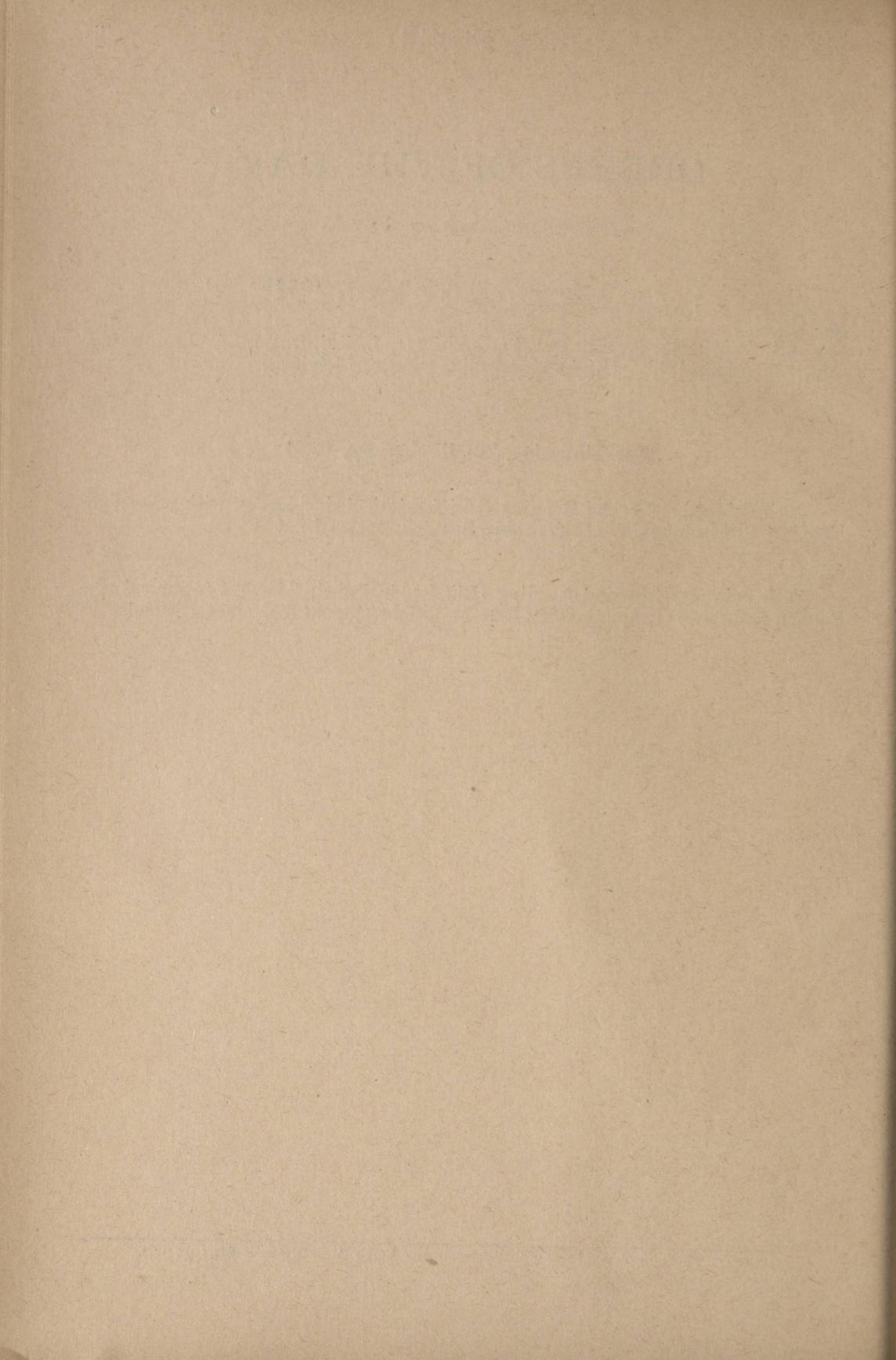
For Thursday, 22nd February, 1934

No. 1.

20th February—Second Reading (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 2.

20th February—Second Reading (Bill B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)



No. 6

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 21st February, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Parent,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Planta,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Pope,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Gillis,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Gordon,	Marcotte,	Raymond,
Black,	Graham,	McCormick,	Riley,
Blondin,	Green,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Brown,	Harmer,	McLennan,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hocken,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Molloy,	Webster,
Copp,	King,	Moraud,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Lacasse,	Murdock,	Wilson
	Laird,	Murphy,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of Alfred Burton Rose and others, of Toronto, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Personal Finance Corporation."

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Report of work done and expenditures made during the calendar year 1933, in connection with Acts (Chapters 19 to 21 inclusive, Chapter 25, Chapters 28 to 30 inclusive, and Chapters 32 to 36 inclusive, of 19-20 George V, and Chapter 24, of 22-23 George V), respecting construction of Canadian National Railway Lines.

Report of the Public Archives for the year 1933 (English and French editions).

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen, from the Committee of Selection appointed to nominate the Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Committee of Selection appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, have the honour to report herewith the following list of Senators selected by them to serve on each of the following Standing Committees, namely:—

Joint Committee on the Library

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Beaubien, Chapais, Fauteaux, Gillis, Gordon, Griesbach, Hatfield, Laird, Lemieux, Lewis, Logan, McLennan, Prevost, Taylor and Wilson (Rockcliffe)—17.

Joint Committee on Printing

The Honourable Senators Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Buchanan, Chapais, Dennis, Donnelly, Green, Harmer, Hatfield, Hocken, Horsey, Lewis, McDonald (Shediac), McLean, McLennan, Moraud, Parent, Pope, Prevost, Taylor, White (Inkerman) and White (Pembroke)—21.

Standing Orders

The Honourable Senators Buchanan, Coté, Hardy, Lemieux, Macdonald (St. Peters), Macdonnell, Martin, Prevost and Schaffner—9.

Banking and Commerce

The Honourable Senators Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Ballantyne, Beaubien, Black, Brown, Casgrain, Coté, Dandurand, Dennis, Foster, Gordon, Graham, Griesbach, Horsey, Hughes, King, Laird, Lemieux, L'Espérance, Little, McGuire, McLennan, McMeans, McRae, Meighen, Michener, Murphy, Parent, Planta, Raymond, Riley, Schaffner, Sharpe, Sinclair, Smith, Tanner, Taylor, Webster, White (Inkerman), White (Pembroke), Wilson (Rockcliffe) and Wilson (Sorel)—42.

Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours

The Honourable Senators Ballantyne, Barnard, Beaubien, Béland, Black, Bourque, Buchanan, Calder, Casgrain, Copp, Dandurand, Dennis, Donnelly, Gillis, Gordon, Graham, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Hatfield, Horner, Lacasse, Laird, L'Espérance, Lewis, Lynch-Staunton, MacArthur, Marcotte, McDonald (Shédiac), McLennan, McRae, Meighen, Michener, Molloy, Moraud, Murdock, Murphy, Parent, Pope, Rainville, Rankin, Raymond, Robinson, Sharpe, Spence, Tobin, Turgeon, Webster and Wilson (Rigaud)—50.

Miscellaneous Private Bills

The Honourable Senators Barnard, Bénard, Black, Calder, Fauteux, Griesbach, Harmer, Lacasse, Little, Logan, Lynch-Staunton, McCormick, McGuire, McLean, McMeans, McRae, Parent, Planta, Rainville, Raymond, Spence, Tanner, Tobin, Wilson (Rigaud) and Wilson (Sorel)—25.

Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Chapais, Foster, Gordon, Hocken, Horsey, King, Lacasse, Laird, Lemieux, L'Espérance, Little, Logan, MacArthur, Marcotte, McRae, Meighen, Michener, Murdock, Parent, Pope, Prevost, Sharpe, Tanner and White (Pembroke)—25.

Finance

The Honourable Senators Aseltine, Brown, Foster, Hardy, Lacasse, L'Espérance, MacArthur, Martin, McLean, Michener, Pope, Smith, Spence, Turgeon, White (Inkerman), Wilson (Rigaud) and Wilson (Sorel)—17.

Debates and Reporting

The Honourable Senators Béland, Chapais, Fauteux, Gillis, Hardy, Lacasse, L'Espérance, McLean and White (Inkerman)—9.

Divorce

The Honourable Senators Aseltine, Copp, Horsey, Logan, McLean, McMeans, Rankin, Robinson and Schaffner—9.

Agriculture and Forestry

The Honourable Senators Black, Buchanan, Burns, Donnelly, Little, Raymond, Riley, Sinclair and Smith—9.

Immigration and Labour

The Honourable Senators Calder, Donnelly, Fripp, Hughes, Macdonnell, McDonald (Shédiac), McMeans, Molloy and Murdock—9.

Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada

The Honourable Senators Lewis, Macdonell, McCormick, McLean, McLennan, Riley, Schaffner, Tobin and Wilson (Sorel)—9.

Public Health and Inspection of Foods

The Honourable Senators Béland, Bourque, Burns, King, Lacasse, Molloy, Riley, Schaffner and Wilson (Rockcliffe)—9.

Civil Service Administration

The Honourable Senators Bénard, Donnelly, Griesbach, L'Espérance, McRae, Prevost, Rankin, Robinson and Wilson (Rockcliffe)—9.

Public Buildings and Grounds

The Honourable Senators Black, Fripp, Harmer, McGuire, McLennan, Sinclair, Smith, White (Pembroke) and Wilson (Rockcliffe)—9.

Joint Committee on the Restaurant

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Hardy, Logan, McMeans, Michener, Tanner and Taylor—7.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ARTHUR MEIGHEN,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (2), intituled: "An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act, 1928, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That the Senators mentioned in the Report of the Committee of Selection as having been chosen to serve on the several Standing Committees during the present Session, be and they are hereby appointed to form part of and constitute the several Committees with which their respective names appear in said Report, to inquire into and report upon such matters as may be referred to them from time to time; and that the Committee on Standing Orders is authorized to send for persons, papers and records whenever required; and also that the Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts have power, without special reference by the House, to consider any matter affecting the Internal Economy of the Senate, as to which the Honourable the Speaker is not called upon to act by the Civil Service Act, and such Committee shall report the result of such consideration to the House for action.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

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 the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Beaubien, Chapais, Fauteux, Gillis, Gordon, Griesbach, Hatfield, Laird, Lemieux, Lewis, Logan, McLennan, Prevost, Taylor and Wilson (Rockcliffe), have been appointed a Committee

to assist the Honourable 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.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

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 Senators Aylesworth, Sir Allen, Buchanan, Chapais, Dennis, Donnelly, Green, Harmer, Hatfield, Hocken, Horsey, Lewis, McDonald (Shediac), McLean, McLennan, Meraud, Parent, Pope, Prevost, Taylor, White (Inkerman) and White (Pembroke), 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.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

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 the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Hardy, Logan, McMeans, Michener, Tanner and Taylor, have been appointed a Committee to assist the Honourable 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.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 22nd February, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 22nd February, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

20th February—1. When Manitoba became a province what subsidy did she receive in lieu of public lands?

2. How often has that subsidy been increased since then?

3. What was the date and the amount of each increase?

For Friday, 23rd February, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

21st February—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the declarations of the Prime Minister and the Right Honourable Leader of the Liberal party in regard to the probable cause or causes of the world depression, unrest and confusion and the remedy for these ills; and will enquire whether the Government contemplates taking any further steps calculated to mitigate these conditions or to ward off, as far as possible, their effects upon Canada.

For Tuesday, 27th February, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

20th February—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the importance of the Hudson Bay route to the Provinces of Western Canada, and will inquire of the Government the cost of same to date.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Foster:—

20th February—That he will enquire of the Government:—

1. How many marine ice-breakers are owned by the Government?

2. What are their names?

3. What is the gross tonnage of each ship?

4. Where is each principally operated?

5. What was the capital cost of each ship?

6. What was the total expense (including repairs) for operation during the fiscal years ending March 31, 1931, 1932, 1933?

MOTION**For Thursday, 22nd February, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

20th February—That the Orders in Council which have been published in the Canada Gazette between the 9th day of September, 1932, and the 31st day of December, 1933, in accordance with provisions of section 75 of the Dominion Lands Act, chapter 113, R.S. 1927, and which were laid on the Table on the 30th day of January, 1934, be approved.

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine (9) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. P. GRAHAM,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine (9) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

F. B. BLACK,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 22nd February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That the time limited for receiving petitions for Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 27th April, 1934.

2. That the time limited for presenting Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 4th May, 1934.

3. That the time limited for receiving Reports of any Standing or Select Committee on Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 18th May, 1934.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 22nd February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petition and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of Alfred Burton Rose and others, of Toronto, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Personal Finance Corporation."

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. J. DONNELLY,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator McMeans, from the Standing Committee on Immigration and Labour, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Immigration and Labour beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator McMeans, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

1. Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members for all purposes, including the taking of evidence upon oath as to the matters set forth in petitions for Bills of Divorce.

2. Your Committee also recommend that leave be given them to sit during all adjournments of the Senate, and also during sittings of the Senate.

3. Your Committee further recommend that in addition to the election of a Chairman they be empowered to elect at any time a Deputy Chairman, and that the Deputy Chairman so elected have powers equal to those of the Chairman.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator McLennan, from the Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. S. McLENNAN,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Tanner, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

CHAS. E. TANNER,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator L'Espérance, from the Standing Committee on Civil Service Administration, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Civil Service Administration beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

D. O. L'ESPERANCE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Chapais, from the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

THOS. CHAPAIS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, of Montreal, Quebec, concert and radio singer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clarence Dixon Reid.

Of Ethel Irene Probert, of the village of Beebe, in the county of Stanstead, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the village of Walden, in the county of Orange, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Willie Salls Probert, of the said village of Beebe.

Of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, of Lachine, Quebec, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ruby Winifred Rennie Smart.

Of Esther Liverman Kazenel, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel Joshua Kazenel.

Of Lois Theresa Malcolm, of Westmount, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert Bruce Malcolm.

Of William James Thistle, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Florence May Hollett Thistle.

Of Williamina Muir Briggs, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joseph Briggs.

Of Hyman Stotland, of Montreal, Quebec, manufacturer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ruth Rudnikoff Stotland.

Of Marguerite Pearl Hopper, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Burton Hopper.

Of Lucy Doris Cannon, of the city of Sherbrooke, Quebec, and at present residing at the city of St. Catharines, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edward Frederick Cannon, of the city of Montreal, Quebec.

Of Eva Brabant de Coleman Paradis, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joseph Edgar Paradis.

Of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Emmett Roekett Burke.

Of Sadye Harris Rosenberg, of Outremont, Quebec, office clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Moses Rosenberg.

Of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy, of Montreal, Quebec, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Shahda Koudsy.

Of Doris Jones Earp, of Westmount, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry James Earp.

Of Clara Dingman Freeman, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Horace Freeman.

Of Georgette Bouchard Durand, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Georges Durand.

Of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Douglas Kelly.

Of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Henry Richardson.

Of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Gordon Royal Maybee.

Of Lily Archer Watson, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John James Egbert Watson.

Of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb, of the city of Westmount, Quebec, and at present residing at the town of Brockville, Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Clifton Robb, of the said city of Westmount.

Of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Daniel Forbes MacLaren.

Of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold James Roast.

The Honourable Senator Ballantyne laid on the Table:—

Report of work performed and expenditures made as of December 31, 1933, together with the estimated expenditures for 1934, under authority of Chapter 12, Statutes of Canada, 1929, construction by Canadian National Railway Company of certain terminal facilities with grade separation and other works at and in the vicinity of the City of Montreal.

On motion it was—

Ordered, That the Orders in Council which have been published in the Canada Gazette between the 9th day of September, 1932, and the 31st day of December, 1933, in accordance with provisions of section 75 of the Dominion Lands Act, chapter 113, R.S., 1927, and which were laid on the Table on the 30th day of January, 1934, be approved.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that, in conformity with Rule 103, the Clerk had laid on the Table the Accounts and Vouchers of the Senate for the fiscal year ending the 31st March, 1933.

Ordered, That the said Accounts and Vouchers be referred to the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator Barnard moved that the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," be now read a second time.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932, was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (2), intituled: "An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act, 1928," it was—
Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next.

The Honourable Senator Wilson (Rockcliffe), from the Standing Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

CAIRINE R. WILSON,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Report was adopted.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 27th February, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 27th February, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

20th February—1. When Manitoba became a province what subsidy did she receive in lieu of public lands?

2. How often has that subsidy been increased since then?

3. What was the date and the amount of each increase?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

21st February—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the declarations of the Prime Minister and the Right Honourable Leader of the Liberal party in regard to the probable cause or causes of the world depression, unrest and confusion and the remedy for these ills; and will enquire whether the Government contemplates taking any further steps calculated to mitigate these conditions or to ward off, as far as possible, their effects upon Canada.

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

20th February—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the importance of the Hudson Bay route to the Provinces of Western Canada, and will inquire of the Government the cost of same to date.

No. 4.

By the Honourable Senator Foster:—

20th February—That he will enquire of the Government:—

1. How many marine ice-breakers are owned by the Government?

2. What are their names?

3. What is the gross tonnage of each ship?

4. Where is each principally operated?

5. What was the capital cost of each ship?

6. What was the total expense (including repairs) for operation during the fiscal years ending March 31, 1931, 1932, 1933?

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 27th February, 1934

No. 1.

22nd February—Resuming the debate on the motion for Second Reading (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator White (Pembroke).)

No. 2.

21st February—Second Reading (Bill 2), intituled: "An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act, 1928."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 8

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 27th February, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Logan,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	MacArthur,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Macdonell,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Green,	Marcotte,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Riley,
Black,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Horner,	McMeans,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Horsey,	McRae,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hughes,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	King,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Chapais,	Lacasse,	Molloy,	Webster,
Copp,	Laird,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Coté,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Dandurand,	Lewis,	Murphy,	Wilson
Dennis,	Little,	Parent,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable Senator White (Pembroke):—
Of John Gilbert Mitchell, and others (Thousand Islands Bridge Company).

By the Honourable Senator Beaubien:—
Of the Prudential Trust Company Limited.

By the Honourable Senator Sharpe:—
Of The Firth-Brearley Stainless Steel Syndicate, Limited (Patent).

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—
Of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ronald Spence Meldrum.

Of Fenwick William Smith, of Montreal, Quebec, bank inspector; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Phyllis Llewellyn Millard Smith.

Of Marjorie Hammond Zavitz, of Montreal, Quebec, stenographer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Douglas Zavitz.

The Honourable Senator Gillis called the attention of the Senate to the importance of the Hudson Bay route to the Provinces of Western Canada, and inquired of the Government the cost of same to date.

After debate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Horner, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until Thursday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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 Thursday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (7), intituled: "An Act to amend The Fisheries Act, 1932," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to authorize an agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (17), intituled: "An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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 Thursday, next.

The Honourable Senator White (Inkerman), from the Standing Committee on Finance, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Finance beg leave to make their first Report as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

SMEATON WHITE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Foster presented to the Senate a Bill (D), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation."

The said Bill was read the first time, and

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (2), intituled: "An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act, 1928," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 28th February, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 28th February, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

20th February—1. When Manitoba became a province what subsidy did she receive in lieu of public lands?

2. How often has that subsidy been increased since then?

3. What was the date and the amount of each increase?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

21st February—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the declarations of the Prime Minister and the Right Honourable Leader of the Liberal party in regard to the probable cause or causes of the world depression, unrest and confusion and the remedy for these ills; and will enquire whether the Government contemplates taking any further steps calculated to mitigate these conditions or to ward off, as far as possible, their effects upon Canada.

For Thursday, 1st March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

27th February—That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 28th February, 1934

No. 1.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 7), intituled: “An Act to amend The Fisheries Act, 1932.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 8), intituled: “An Act to authorize an agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of Ottawa.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill D), intituled: “An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation.”—(Honourable Senator Foster.)

No. 4.

27th February—Resuming the debate on the motion for Second Reading (Bill A), intituled: “An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes.”—(Honourable Senator Murdock.)

For Thursday, 1st March, 1934

No. 1.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: “An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 17), intituled: “An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

27th February—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

That he will call the attention of the Senate to the importance of the Hudson Bay route to the Provinces of Western Canada, and will inquire of the Government the cost of same to date.—(Honourable Senator Horner.)

No. 9

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 28th February, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	Logan,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Gordon,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Black,	Green,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McLennan,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Calder,	Horner,	McRae,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Turgéon,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Michener,	Webster,
Copp,	King,	Molloy,	White (Inkerman),
Coté,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	White (Pembroke),
Dandurand,	Laird,	Murdock,	Wilson
Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	(Rockcliffe).
Donnelly,	Lewis,	Parent,	

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

The Twenty-ninth Report of the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada for the year ended 31st December, 1933.

The Honourable Senator Hughes called the attention of the Senate to the declarations of the Right Honourable the Prime Minister and the Right Honourable the Leader of the Liberal Party in regard to the probable cause or causes of the world depression, unrest and confusion, and the remedy for these ills; and enquired whether the Government contemplates taking any further steps calculated to mitigate these conditions or to ward off, as far as possible, their effects upon Canada.

Debated.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (7), intituled: "An Act to amend The Fisheries Act, 1932," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to authorize an agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until Tuesday, next.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 1st March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions. Reading of Petitions.
Reports of Committees. Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 1st March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

20th February—1. When Manitoba became a province what subsidy did she receive in lieu of public lands?

2. How often has that subsidy been increased since then?

3. What was the date and the amount of each increase?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

27th February—That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 1st March, 1934

No. 1.

28th February—Third Reading (Bill 7), intituled: "An Act to amend The Fisheries Act, 1932."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

28th February—Third Reading (Bill 8), intituled: "An Act to authorize an agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of Ottawa."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 17), intituled: "An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 5.

27th February—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

That he will call the attention of the Senate to the importance of the Hudson Bay route to the Provinces of Western Canada, and will inquire of the Government the cost of same to date.—(Honourable Senator Horner.)

For Tuesday, 6th March, 1934

No. 1.

28th February—Resuming the debate on the motion for Second Reading (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Marcotte.)

No. 10

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 1st March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	Logan,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Rankin,
Barnard,	Gordon,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Bénard,	Green,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Black,	Griesbach,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McLennan,	Smith,
Brown,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McRae,	Tobin,
Calder,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Michener,	Webster,
Chapais,	King,	Molloy,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Laird,	Murdock,	Wilson
Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	(Rockcliffe).
Donnelly,	Lewis,	Parent,	

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Marcotte:—
Of The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—
Of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

The following petitions were severally read and received:—

Of Prudential Trust Company, Limited; praying for the passing of an Act reducing the amount of its authorized capital stock.

Of John Gilbert Mitchell and one other, of the township of the Front of Leeds and Lansdowne, in the county of Leeds, Ontario, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Thousand Islands Bridge Company."

Of The Firth-Brearley Stainless Steel Syndicate, Limited; praying for the passing of an Act extending the term of Patent No. 193,550, for an improvement in processes of producing malleable steel.

The Honourable Senator Murphy called the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and enquired if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (7), intituled: "An Act to amend The Fisheries Act, 1932," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (8), intituled: "An Act to authorize an agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Thursday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (17), intituled: "An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

That he will call the attention of the Senate to the importance of the Hudson Bay route to the Provinces of Western Canada, and will inquire of the Government the cost of same to date.

Debated.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 6th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 6th March, 1934

No. 1.

28th February—Resuming the debate on the motion for Second Reading (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Marcotte.)

No. 2.

1st March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Right Honourable Senator Graham.)

For Thursday, 8th March, 1934

No. 1.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 11

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 6th March, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	Marcotte,	Rankin,
Ballantyne,	Graham,	McCormick,	Raymond,
Barnard,	Green,	McDonald,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	McGuire,	Robinson,
Bénard,	Harmer,	McLennan,	Schaffner,
Black,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Hocken,	McRae,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Horner,	Meighen,	Smith,
Brown,	Hughes,	Michener,	Tanner,
Buchanan,	King,	Molloy,	Taylor,
Burns,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	Tobin,
Calder,	Laird,	Murdock,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	Webster,
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	White (Inkerman),
Coté,	Little,	Planta,	White (Pembroke),
Dennis,	Logan,	Pope,	Wilson
Donnelly,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson, of Thetford Mines, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel John Johnson.

By the Honourable Senator Aseltine:—

Of The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company.

By the Honourable Senator Coté:—

Of the Subsidiary High Court of the Ancient Order of Foresters in the Dominion of Canada (Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company).

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the following Message from His Excellency the Governor General, under His Sign Manual, reading as follows:—

BESSBOROUGH

Honourable Members of the Senate:

I have received with great pleasure the Address that you have voted in reply to my Speech at the Opening of Parliament and thank you for it sincerely.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

OTTAWA, 1st March, 1934.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."

After further debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down as follows:—

CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	Marcotte,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	McDonald,	Rainville,
(Sir Allen),	Foster,	McMeans,	Raymond,
Barnard,	Green,	McRae,	Riley,
Black,	Harmer,	Molloy,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Horne,	Morand,	Tanner,
Bourque,	Lacasse,	Murphy,	Taylor,
Burns,	Laird,	Parent,	Tobin,
Calder,	Lemieux,	Planta,	White (Inkerman),
Casgrain,	L'Espérance,	Pope,	White
Coté,			(Pembroke)—40.

NON-CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Griesbach,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Beaubien,	Hatfield,	Meighen,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	Michener,	Smith,
Copp,	Hughes,	Murdock,	Webster,
Gillis,	Little,	Rankin,	Wilson
Graham,	McCormick,	Schaffner,	(Rockcliffe)—23.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole on Thursday, next.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the intiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

It was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 7th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 7th March, 1934

No. 1.

1st March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Right Honourable Senator Graham.)

For Thursday, 8th March, 1934

No. 1.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

6th March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 12

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 7th March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fripp,	Logan,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Rainville,
(Sir Allen),	Gordon,	Macdonald,	Rankin,
Ballantyne,	Graham,	Macdonell,	Raymond,
Barnard,	Green,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Bénard,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Black,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Horner,	McMeans,	Smith,
Brown,	Horsey,	McRae,	Spence,
Buchanan,	Hughes,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Burns,	King,	Michener,	Taylor,
Calder,	Lacasse,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Laird,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Copp,	Lemieux,	Murdock,	Webster,
Coté,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	White (Inkerman),
Dennis,	Lewis,	Parent,	White (Pembroke),
Donnelly,	Little,	Planta,	Wilson
Foster,		Pope,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally read and received, namely:—

Of Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time within which it may complete and put into operation the line of railway authorized by paragraph (f), section 1, of Chapter 65 of the statutes of 1929.

Of The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada; praying for the passing of an Act amending its Act of incorporation by adding to its corporate name the name of "La Corporation de Prêts et d'escomptes du Canada," and for other purposes.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 7th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That they be empowered to consider and inquire into conditions respecting agriculture generally.
2. That they be authorized to send for persons, papers and records.
3. That they be authorized to print from time to time 600 copies of the proceedings of the Committee if in the opinion of the Committee such printing is advisable, and that Rule 100 be suspended in so far as it relates to such printing.
4. That for the balance of the Session the personnel of the Committee be increased from nine to not more than fifteen members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. J. DONNELLY,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Report of the Civil Service Commission of Canada for the year ended 31st December, 1933.

Report of the Secretary of State for External Affairs for the year ended 31st December, 1933 (English and French editions).

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen presented to the Senate a Bill (E), intituled: "An Act with respect to Shipping."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

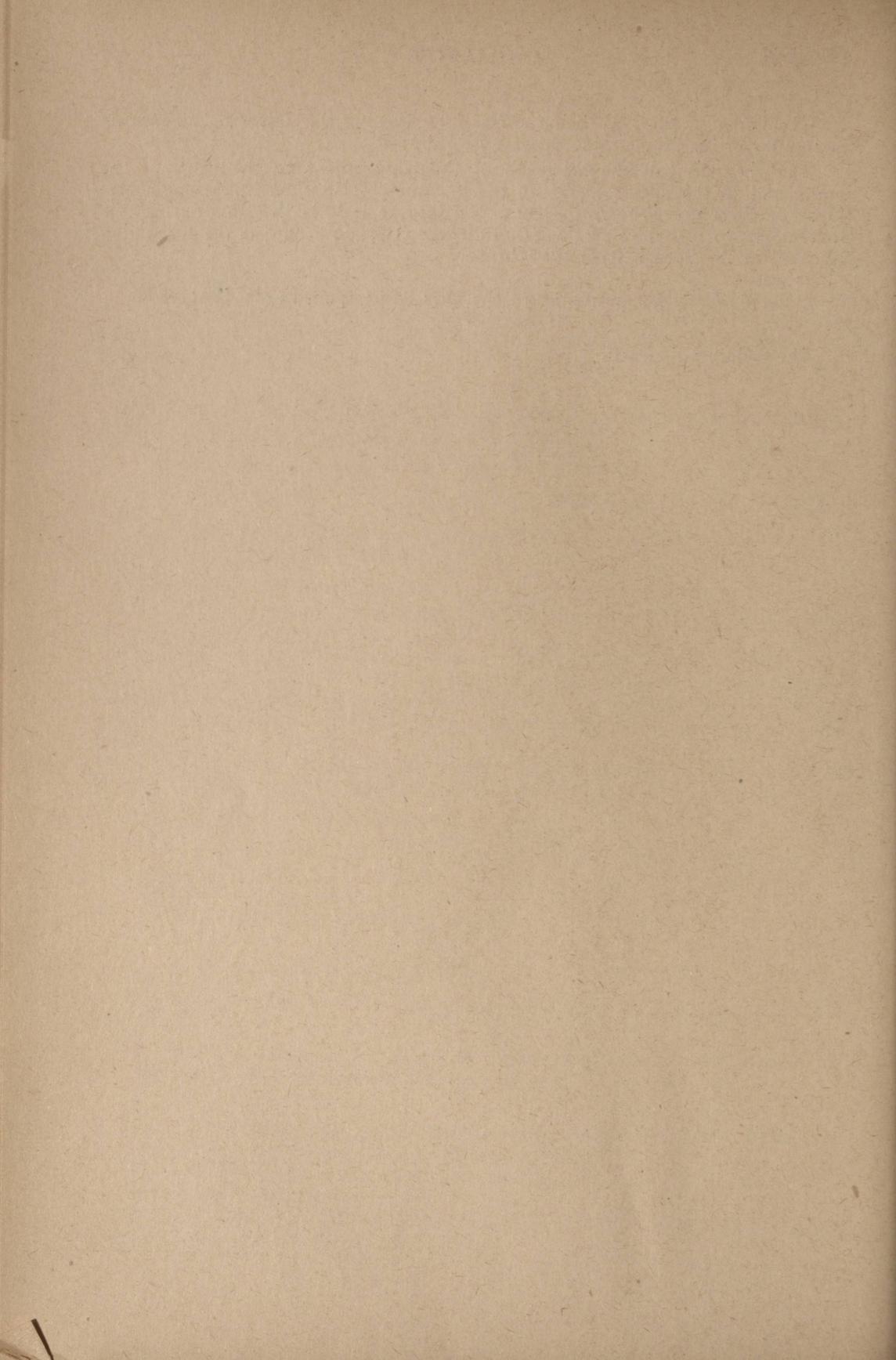
The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

It was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.



ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 8th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

MOTION

For Tuesday, 13th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

7th March—That he will call attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and will move that a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 8th March, 1934

No. 1.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

6th March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

7th March—Second Reading (Bill E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

1st March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Right Honourable Senator Graham.)

No. 13

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 8th March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Logan,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Rainville,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Rankin,
Ballantyne,	Gordon,	Macdonell,	Raymond,
Barnard,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Green,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Black,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Hatfield,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Smith,
Brown,	Horner,	McRae,	Spence,
Buchanan,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Burns,	Hughes,	Michener,	Taylor,
Calder,	King,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Copp,	Laird,	Murdock,	Webster,
Coté,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	White (Pembroke),
Dennis,	Lewis,	Planta,	Wilson
Donnelly,	Little,	Pope,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Ena Beatrice Duclos Boyd, of Westmount, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Winnett Wornibe Boyd.

Of Helen Cohen Levine, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Isadore Levine.

The following petitions were severally read and received:—

Of the Subsidiary High Court of the Ancient Order of Foresters in the Dominion of Canada; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating the members of its life insurance fund as a mutual life insurance company under the name of "Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company."

Of The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that only policy-holders of the Company on the mutual system may be members of the Company.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 8th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of The Firth-Brearley Stainless Steel Syndicate, Limited; praying for the passing of an Act extending the term of Patent No. 193,550, for an improvement in processes of producing malleable steel.

Of John Gilbert Mitchell and one other, of the township of the Front of Leeds and Lansdowne, in the county of Leeds, Ontario, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Thousand Islands Bridge Company."

Of Prudential Trust Company Limited; praying for the passing of an Act reducing the amount of its authorized capital stock.

Of Canadian Pacific Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time within which it may complete and put into operation the line of railway authorized by Paragraph (f), section 1, of Chapter 65 of the statutes of 1929.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That for the balance of the Session the following Members, namely, The Honourable Senators Benard, Gillis, Horner, McGuire, Pope and Sharpe, be added to the list of Members constituting the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator McLennan, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole, at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act with respect to Shipping," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen presented to the Senate a Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932."

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 Tuesday, next.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 13th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 13th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

8th March—That he will inquire from the Government:—

1. Was any wheat shipped from Port Churchill during 1933.
2. If so, how many bushels?
3. Did this shipping of wheat cost the Government any disbursements of public money?
4. If so how much?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

8th March—That he will inquire from the Government:—

1. Were there any cattle shipped from Port Churchill since that port has been opened for navigation?
2. If so how many heads were shipped from Churchill?
3. Did the Government disburse any money in connection with the shipment of this cattle?
4. If so, how much?
5. Did the Government pay for the lumber used in preparing the ship, or ships, to receive the cattle?
6. Did the Government pay for the erection of the stalls for the cattle?
7. If so, how much did the lumber and erection of the stalls cost?
8. Did the Government contribute any money for the charter of the ship, or ships, which carried the cattle?
9. If so, how much?
10. What was the total expenditure, if any, that the Government expended in connection with these shipments?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

1. What were the names and the mileage of the individual railways when acquired by the Dominion that now constitute the Canadian National Railway of Canada?

2. Were any of these railways provincially owned when acquired by the Federal Government?

3. Did the Federal Government, at any time, acquire any railway owned by the provinces or by individuals that are not now a part of the National System?

4. If so did the Federal Government sell or otherwise dispose of such railways?

5. If sold what was the cost to the Federal Government and what was realized from the sale?

6. Did the Federal Government acquire any railway that had been built in the territory of more than one province; if so, the name of the railway, the mileage and the names of the provinces in which built?

7. What are the amounts and the descriptions of any and all obligations of any province, relative to the railways now comprised within the Canadian National Railways of which such provinces have been or are being relieved by the Dominion?

MOTION

For Tuesday, 13th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

7th March—That he will call attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and will move that a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 13th March, 1934

No. 1.

27th February—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

6th March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

8th March—Second Reading (Bill F), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian and British Insurance Act 1932."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

8th March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Honourable Senator Riley.)

No. 14

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 13th March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	MacArthur,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Bénard,	Green,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Black,	Griesbach,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Smith,
Burns,	Horner,	McRae,	Taylor,
Calder,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Chapais,	King,	Molloy,	Webster,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Coté,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	Wilson
Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Eugenie Margaret O'Reilly Stavert, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Stuart Stavert.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 9th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold James Roast, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 9th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Clara Dingman Freeman, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Horace Freeman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 9th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Marguerite Pearl Hopper, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Burton Hopper, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 9th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Sadye Harris Rosenberg, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, office clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Moses Rosenberg, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 9th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Eva Brabant Paradis, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, dressmaker, for an Act to dissolve her

marriage with Joseph Edgar Paradis, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 9th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Williamina Muir Briggs, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, bookkeeper, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joseph Briggs, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 25th April, 1933, for a return showing:—

1. (a) What was the total amount paid by the Government of Canada in salaries to both the inside and outside Civil Service, including all Boards and Commissions financed by the Government, for the year ending March 31, 1933; (b) what saving was effected in the same salaries by the ten per cent reduction?

2. What was the total amount paid by the Government of Canada in pensions for War Service in the fiscal year ending March 31, 1933.

The Honourable Senator Taylor called attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and moved that a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until Tuesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (10), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent owned by The Firth-Breareley Stainless Steel Syndicate Limited," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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 Thursday, next.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 14th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 15th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Prévost:—

13th March—That he will inquire from the Government:—

1. Is Mr. Potvin, translator of Senate Debates, still in that post?
2. If not, when did he leave? and who has succeeded him?
3. If the position is still vacant, why? and when will a new translator of Senate Debates be appointed?

For Tuesday, 20th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

13th March—That he will inquire from the Government:—

1. What was the value in money of the imports to Canada yearly from 1867 to 1933, both inclusive?
2. What was the value in money of the exports from Canada during the same period?
3. What was the exodus in number yearly from Canada to the United States in the same period?

MOTIONS

For Thursday, 15th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

13th March—That an Order of the Senate be issued for a Return showing:—

1. The total indebtedness of the ports of Montreal and Quebec, respectively, under management of the Harbour Commissioners.

- (a) The amount spent by such authorities, respectively, on improvements, upkeep, maintenance, overhead and borrowing charges during the last ten years.
- (b) If any of these capital charges have been liquidated—how much, by whom and when?
- (c) If interest charges have not been paid in full, how much has been unpaid in respect to each port and if the Dominion Government paid any portion of such interest charges, how much did the Government pay in respect to each port?

2. The number of grain elevators between the head of the Lakes, to and including the City of Quebec, owned respectively by the Dominion Government, Harbour Commissioners or subsidized by the Dominion Government.

- (a) The name and description of each such elevator and the cost, expense of annual maintenance, upkeep and overhead.

3. The total expenditure from all sources for dredging reclaiming works on the St. Lawrence River between the eastern end of the Lachine Canal, Montreal, to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.

- (a) The amount supposed to be expended for the year 1934 by all Government Departments for dredging on the St. Lawrence River from Lake Ontario to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.
- (b) The number and value of dredges with auxiliaries owned or operated under Dominion Government control.
- (c) The annual cost of maintenance, upkeep, operation and repair of such dredges during each of the last ten years.

4. The number and value of ice-breaking vessels operated by the Dominion Government between the head of the Lakes and Sydney, N.S.

- (a) The approximate cost of operating, maintenance, upkeep and repair of such vessels during each of the last ten years.

5. The number of vessels, including ice-breakers, operated between Lake Ontario to and including the Lower St. Lawrence between October and December 31, 1933, for the purpose of keeping the ports of the St. Lawrence River open for navigation, looking after aids to navigation and other services.

- (a) The total cost for the above period.
- (b) Whether the Dominion Government paid the whole of such cost. If not, how much of it did the Government pay?
- (c) Whether shipping contributed to the cost of such services and, if so, how much?

6. The number of shipping accidents on the St. Lawrence River during the fiscal year 1933-34.

- (a) The number of such accidents which were major casualties.
- (b) The number of ocean and coasting vessels ready to proceed to sea that failed by reason of weather conditions to depart from the St. Lawrence River.
- (c) The number of such vessels still in Canada.

7. The approximate value of lighthouses, lightships and other aids to navigation including radio aids and buoy boats, but not including dredges and ice-breakers on the St. Lawrence.

- (a) The cost of operating, maintaining and upkeep generally of the above during the last ten years.

8. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Churchill in 1933.

9. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Montreal in 1933.

10. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Fort William in 1933.

11. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Fort William to Montreal in 1933.

12. The water rate charges on wheat per bushel via St. Lawrence Waterways to Montreal from Fort William between 1923 and 1934.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Robinson:—

13th March—That a Special Committee be appointed to take into consideration and report from time to time upon the Public Accounts of Canada, the reports of the Auditor General, together with Current Accounts, and the Estimates for the fiscal year 1934-35, with power to send for persons, papers and records; to employ counsel, clerical and stenographic assistance as required; and that the said Committee be composed of the Honourable Senators—

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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No. 1.

13th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: “An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

13th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: “An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes.”—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 3.

13th March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

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13th March—Consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

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No. 5.

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No. 6.

13th March—Consideration of the seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Williamina Muir Briggs, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

13th March—Second Reading (Bill 10), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent owned by The Firth-Brearley Stainless Steel Syndicate Limited."—(Honourable Senator Sharpe.)

For Tuesday, 20th March, 1934**No. 1.**

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No. 15

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The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

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Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Barnard,	Fripp,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Gillis,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Bénard,	Graham,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Black,	Green,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McRae,	Tanner,
Burns,	Horner,	Meighen,	Taylor,
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Chapais,	King,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Lacasse,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Laird,	Murphy,	Wilson
Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Parent,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—
Amendment to Radio Regulations—Form W. 19—Ship Licence.

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After debate, it was—

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The said Bill was read the first time, and—

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The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (23), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm the agreement respecting the joint use by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company of certain tracks and premises of His Majesty at Saint John, N.B.," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (24), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between The Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company and The Campbellford, Lake Ontario and Western Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

14th March—That he will call attention to the newly appointed Trustees of the Canadian National Railways, and will ask that information be placed on the table of the Senate concerning the Pool trains.

MOTIONS

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No. 16

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THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 15th March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Parent,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Planta,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	MacArthur,	Pope,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Fripp,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Gillis,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Bénard,	Graham,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Black,	Green,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McRae,	Tanner,
Burns,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Calder,	Hughes,	Michener,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	King,	Molloy,	Webster,
Chapais,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	Wilson
Dandurand,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 15th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their fifth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of the Subsidiary High Court of the Ancient Order of Foresters in the Dominion of Canada; praying for the passing of an Act incorporating the members of its life insurance fund as a mutual life insurance company under the name of "Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company."

Of The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that only policy-holders of the Company on the mutual system may be members of the Company.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Robinson, and—

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That a Special Committee be appointed to take into consideration and report from time to time upon the Public Accounts of Canada, the reports of the Auditor General, together with Current Accounts, and the Estimates for the fiscal year 1934-35, with power to send for persons, papers and records; to employ counsel, clerical and stenographic assistance as required; and that the said Committee be composed of the Honourable Senators Black, Buchanan, Copp, Dennis, Donnelly, Foster, Griesbach, Horner, Lacasse, L'Espérance, Murphy, McRae, Parent, Robinson, Sharpe and Tanner.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Clara Dingman Freeman, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marguerite Pearl Hopper, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sadye Harris Rosenberg, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Eva Brabant Paradis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Williamina Muir Briggs, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (10), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent owned by The Firth-Brearley Stainless Steel Syndicate Limited," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (23), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm the agreement respecting the joint use by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company of certain tracks and premises of His Majesty at Saint John, N.B.," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (24), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between the Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company and the Campbellford, Lake Ontario and Western Railway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 20th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 20th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

13th March—That he will inquire from the Government:—

1. What was the value in money of the imports to Canada yearly from 1867 to 1933, both inclusive?

2. What was the value in money of the exports from Canada during the same period?

3. What was the exodus in number yearly from Canada to the United States in the same period?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

14th March—That he will call attention to the newly appointed Trustees of the Canadian National Railways, and will ask that information be placed on the table of the Senate concerning the Pool trains.

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

15th March—1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

MOTION

For Tuesday, 20th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Gillis:—

13th March—That an Order of the Senate be issued for a Return showing:—

1. The total indebtedness of the ports of Montreal and Quebec, respectively, under management of the Harbour Commissioners.
 - (a) The amount spent by such authorities, respectively, on improvements, upkeep, maintenance, overhead and borrowing charges during the last ten years.
 - (b) If any of these capital charges have been liquidated—how much, by whom and when?
 - (c) If interest charges have not been paid in full, how much has been unpaid in respect to each port and if the Dominion Government paid any portion of such interest charges, how much did the Government pay in respect to each port?
2. The number of grain elevators between the head of the Lakes, to and including the City of Quebec, owned respectively by the Dominion Government, Harbour Commissioners or subsidized by the Dominion Government.
 - (a) The name and description of each such elevator and the cost, expense of annual maintenance, upkeep and overhead.
3. The total expenditure from all sources for dredging reclaiming works on the St. Lawrence River between the eastern end of the Lachine Canal, Montreal, to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.
 - (a) The amount supposed to be expended for the year 1934 by all Government Departments for dredging on the St. Lawrence River from Lake Ontario to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.
 - (b) The number and value of dredges with auxiliaries owned or operated under Dominion Government control.
 - (c) The annual cost of maintenance, upkeep, operation and repair of such dredges during each of the last ten years.
4. The number and value of ice-breaking vessels operated by the Dominion Government between the head of the Lakes and Sydney, N.S.
 - (a) The approximate cost of operating, maintenance, upkeep and repair of such vessels during each of the last ten years.
5. The number of vessels, including ice-breakers, operated between Lake Ontario to and including the Lower St. Lawrence between October and December 31, 1933, for the purpose of keeping the ports of the St. Lawrence River open for navigation, looking after aids to navigation and other services.
 - (a) The total cost for the above period.
 - (b) Whether the Dominion Government paid the whole of such cost. If not, how much of it did the Government pay?
 - (c) Whether shipping contributed to the cost of such services and, if so, how much?

6. The number of shipping accidents on the St. Lawrence River during the fiscal year 1933-34.

(a) The number of such accidents which were major casualties.

(b) The number of ocean and coasting vessels ready to proceed to sea that failed by reason of weather conditions to depart from the St. Lawrence River.

(c) The number of such vessels still in Canada.

7. The approximate value of lighthouses, lightships and other aids to navigation including radio aids and buoy boats, but not including dredges and ice-breakers on the St. Lawrence.

(a) The cost of operating, maintaining and upkeep generally of the above during the last ten years.

8. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Churchill in 1933.

9. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Montreal in 1933.

10. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Fort William in 1933.

11. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Fort William to Montreal in 1933.

12. The water rate charges on wheat per bushel via St. Lawrence Waterways to Montreal from Fort William between 1923 and 1934.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 20th March, 1934

No. 1.

13th March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

That he will call attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and will move that a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.—(Honourable Senator McRae.)

No. 2.

14th March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Honourable Senator Buchanan.)

No. 3.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

No. 4.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 5.

14th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 6.

15th March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 17

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 20th March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Graham,	Macdonell,	Rainville,
Barnard,	Green,	Marcotte,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Riley,
Bénard,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Black,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Horner,	McLennan,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Horsey,	McMeans,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Hughes,	McRae,	Smith,
Burns,	King,	Meighen,	Spence,
Calder,	Lacasse,	Michener,	Tanner,
Casgrain,	Laird,	Molloy,	Taylor,
Copp,	Lemieux,	Moraud,	Tobin,
Coté,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	Lewis,	Murphy,	Wilson
Donnelly.			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 16th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, of the city of Lachine, in the province of Quebec, chief clerk, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ruby Winifred Rennie Smart, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 16th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, concert and radio singer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clarence Dixon Reid, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their tenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 16th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their tenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lily Archer Watson, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with

John James Egbert Watson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eleventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 16th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eleventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, teacher, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ronald Spence Meldrum, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twelfth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 16th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twelfth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lois Theresa Malcolm, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, secretary, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert Bruce Malcolm, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Clara Dingman Freeman."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eva Brabant Paradis."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, line 3. Add the following as new clauses "A" and "B":—

CLAUSE "A"

"The third paragraph of the preamble of the *Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932*, chapter forty-seven of the Statutes of 1932, is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"Whereas foreign insurance companies are soliciting applications for and issuing life insurance policies as protection and long term investments of the

savings of their policyholders in Canada, and such companies now have outstanding more than four million four hundred thousand policies in Canada to an aggregate amount of more than two billions of dollars; and ”

CLAUSE “ B ”

“ The fourth paragraph of the preamble of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

“ Whereas foreign insurance companies, associations and exchanges now have insurance in force against the destruction of property in Canada by fire to an amount of more than four and a quarter billions of dollars, and insurance providing for the payment of large sums dependent on other contingencies; and ”

2. Page 1, line 4. For clause 1 substitute the following:—

1. Section five of the said Act is amended by repealing paragraphs (c), (d) and (e) thereof and substituting therefor the following:—

“(c) a statement in such form as may be required by the Minister of the condition and affairs of the company on the 31st day of December next preceding, or up to the usual balancing day of the company, if such day is not more than twelve months before the filing of the statement, and such additional statements or information as the Minister may require as to its solvency and as to its ability to meet all its obligations; and

(d) evidence satisfactory to the Minister that the company is authorized under the laws of the country in which its head office is situate to transact in such country the class of insurance business for which the company desires to be registered in Canada.”

3. Page 1, line 16. For clause 3 substitute the following:—

3. Section eight of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

“8. Every company which on the date of the coming into force of this Act holds a licence from the Minister shall be deemed to have complied with the provisions of this Act precedent to the granting of a certificate of registry, and to be registered hereunder, and such company shall be subject to the provisions hereof.

(2) Any company which, at the date of the coming into force of this Act, does not hold such a licence but holds a licence under the laws of any province and is transacting the business of insurance therein, shall not be required to make the deposit required to be made under the provisions of the next preceding section in respect of a certificate of registry for fire insurance: Provided that before the granting of a certificate of registry to it hereunder, such company shall have assets in Canada, for the purposes of this Act, in excess of its liabilities in Canada, as determined in accordance with the provisions of this Act.”

4. Page 2, line 5. After “is” insert “either”.

5. Page 2, line 33. After “appeal” insert “save that wherever the word ‘Superintendent’ appears in the said subsection there shall, for the purposes of every such appeal, be substituted the word ‘Minister’.”

6. Page 2, line 33. Add the following as subsections (5) and (6):—

“(5) From any final judgment given by the Exchequer Court of Canada upon any appeal brought before the said Court under the provisions of this section, any of the interested parties, including the Crown, may, within fifteen days from the day on which such judgment has been given, appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada, and the judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada upon any such appeal, shall, in all cases, be final and conclusive, and notwithstanding any Royal prerogative, or anything contained in the Interpretation

Act or in the Supreme Court Act or any other statute or law, no further appeal shall lie or be brought from any judgment so pronounced by the Supreme Court of Canada.

(6) This section shall be deemed to have come into force, and shall be construed and applied as if it had come into force, on the twenty-sixth day of May, 1932; and any appeal to the Exchequer Court of Canada which any company has since the said date taken from the refusal of the Minister to grant the application of the company for registry under this Act on the ground of an objection to the name of the company, whether finally disposed of or not, shall be reconsidered and determined on the merits under and in accordance with the provisions of this section."

7. Page 2, line 34. For clause 5 substitute the following:—

5. Section thirteen of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"13. Every fraternal benefit society registered under this Act to transact any class of insurance business shall at all times maintain assets in Canada of an amount at least equal to its liabilities to policyholders in Canada under policies in Canada issued on or after the first day of January, 1920, computed in accordance with the provisions of subsection two of section forty-four of this Act."

8. Page 2, line 37. For clause 6 substitute the following:—

6. Section fourteen of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"14. Every company other than a fraternal benefit society, registered under this Act to transact any class of insurance business, other than life insurance, shall at all times maintain assets in Canada in respect of any such class of business of an amount at least equal to the liabilities of the company in Canada, including the liabilities of the company in respect of its outstanding unmaturing policies in Canada computed in accordance with the provisions of section forty-nine of this Act. Provided, however, that the assets in Canada of a purely mutual fire insurance company or of an exchange shall continue to form a part of the general assets of the company or exchange, available *pari passu* to all its policyholders or subscribers in or out of Canada in the same manner as its other funds; but no such company or exchange shall, except with the consent of the Treasury Board, and upon such terms and conditions as the Treasury Board may determine, reduce the amount of its assets in Canada below the amount otherwise required by this Act to be maintained in Canada.

(2) The proviso to subsection one of this section shall not apply to any such company or exchange which files with the Minister, in a form approved by him, a declaration that the assets in Canada of such company or exchange are held for the protection of the policyholders in Canada, exclusively, of such company or exchange."

9. Page 2, lines 43 to 45, both inclusive, leave out clause 7.

10. Page 3, line 1. For clause 8 substitute the following:—

8. Subsection one of section twenty-one of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"21. Every company registered under or subject to this Act shall make annual statements of its condition and affairs, at the balancing day of the company in each year, and the form and manner of making such statement shall, as to the Canadian business of the company, be such as the Minister may

from time to time determine for the purposes of this Act; and, as to its general business, shall be in the same form as the company is required by law to furnish to the government of the country in which its head office is situate."

11. Page 3, line 18. After "attorney" insert "of the company".

12. Page 3, line 18. Add the following as new clauses "C" and "D":—

NEW CLAUSE "C"

"Subsection two of section twenty-four of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"(2) It shall be sufficient for any company having in Canada, in addition to the chief agent, one or more general agents reporting to the head office, and not to the chief agent, to keep on file at the chief agency, in addition to the necessary records and documents relating to the business transacted by or through the chief agent, annual statements of the business transacted by each general agent, duly verified by his oath, and such additional records and documents, transmitted through the company's head office as shall, taken together, show the company's entire Canadian business."

NEW CLAUSE "D"

"Subsection one of section thirty of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"30. The Superintendent may address any inquiries to any company registered under this Act, or to the president, manager, actuary or secretary thereof, for the purpose of ascertaining its condition and ability to meet its obligations, and it shall be the duty of any company or officer so addressed promptly to reply in writing to any such inquiries."

13. Page 3, line 19. For clause 10 substitute the following:—

"10. Subsection two of section thirty-five of the said Act is amended by repealing paragraph (a) thereof and substituting therefor the following:—

"(a) the company has obtained the surrender of its outstanding policies in Canada, or has transferred such policies to some company registered under this Act or some corporation registered under the *Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932*; and"

14. Page 3, line 30. For clause 13 substitute the following:—

13. Subsections one and two of section forty-five of the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"44. The annual statement of Canadian business required to be deposited in the Department under the provisions of this Act by every fraternal benefit society shall, to the extent that the Minister may require, show separately the business in respect of policies in Canada issued on or after the first day of January, 1920, together with the liabilities in respect of such business; and, for the purposes of Part III of the *Winding-up Act*, the society's policies in Canada and policyholders in Canada shall be deemed to be the policies in Canada issued on or after the said date, the holders thereof respectively.

(2) For the purposes of sections thirteen and fifty-three of this Act, the liabilities of any such society to its policyholders in Canada of any class of insurance shall be deemed to be its liabilities in respect of its policies in Canada of such class issued on or after the said date, including in the said liabilities

a reserve based on such mortality and other tables as are, in the opinion of the Superintendent, appropriate, and a rate of interest not exceeding four per centum per annum."

15. Page 3, line 40. For clause 15 substitute the following:—

" 15. Section fifty-one of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

" 50. The provisions of sections forty-eight and forty-nine of this Act shall not apply to the business of title insurance transacted in Canada by any company registered under this Act."

16. Page 4, line 1. For clause 16 substitute the following:—

16. Section fifty-two of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

" 51. Any company registered under this Act to transact the business of fire insurance shall, upon compliance with the conditions of this Act other than in respect of an increase in deposit with the Minister, be entitled to receive a certificate of registry for any one or more of the following classes of insurance limited to the insurance of the same property as is insured under a policy of fire insurance of such company, namely,—falling air-craft, earthquake, tornado, hail, sprinkler leakage, limited or inherent explosion and civil commotion: Provided that in the case of a company which is not an exchange such class or classes of insurance are authorized by its Act of incorporation or charter.

(2) Any such company, if a purely mutual company, shall be entitled to the benefit of the proviso of subsection one of section fourteen of this Act in respect of the transaction of such additional classes of insurance as well as its fire insurance business."

17. Page 4, line 8. For clause 19 substitute the following:—

19. Section fifty-five of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

" 53. If it appears from the annual statements or from an examination, made as provided by this Act, of the condition and affairs of any fraternal benefit society registered under this Act to transact any class or classes of insurance business, that its liabilities in respect of outstanding policies in Canada issued on or after the first day of January, 1920, including matured claims and a reserve computed in accordance with the provisions of section forty-four of this Act, after deducting any claim the society has against such policies, exceed its assets in Canada, the Minister shall notify the society, and request it to make good the deficiency, and in the event of its failure to make the same good within sixty days after being so requested, the Minister may withdraw its certificate of registry."

18. Page 4, line 12. For clause 20 substitute the following:—

20. Section fifty-six of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

" 54. If it appears from the annual statements or from an examination, made as provided by this Act, of the condition and affairs of any company, other than a fraternal benefit society, registered under this Act, to transact any class of business, other than life insurance, that its liabilities in respect of all its outstanding policies in Canada, issued in the transaction of any such class of business, computed in accordance with the provisions of section forty-nine of this Act, together with other liabilities in Canada, exceed its assets in Canada,

the Minister shall notify the company and request it to make good the deficiency, and, in the event of its failure to make the same good within sixty days after being so requested, the Minister may withdraw its certificate of registry."

19. Page 4, line 17. For "the company" substitute "any company".

20. Page 4, line 38. For clause 24 substitute the following:—

24. Section sixty-one of the said Act is renumbered fifty-seven, and subsection three thereof is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"(3) If the certificate of registry of any company has not been renewed on the expiry thereof by reason of the Superintendent having made a report to the Minister that, from the statement of affairs of the company, the company is not in a condition to meet its liabilities, or if the certificate of registry of any company has been withdrawn under section fifty-two, section fifty-three or section fifty-four of this Act, and has not been renewed within thirty days after such expiry or withdrawal, such company shall be deemed to be insolvent, and be subject to be wound up under the provisions of the *Winding-up Act*."

21. Page 5, line 1. For clause 25 substitute the following:—

25. Section sixty-two of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"58. Any company which, or any person who, acting on behalf of any such company transacts any class of insurance business in respect of which the company is not registered under this Act, or does or performs any one or more of the acts constituting the business of insurance in relation to any such class of insurance (save as provided in section sixty-two of this Act), shall be guilty of an offence and liable upon indictment or upon summary conviction, to a penalty for each and every such offence, not exceeding five thousand dollars in the case of a company and not exceeding one thousand dollars in the case of a person acting on behalf of any such company; and in addition, in the case of a natural person, to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months."

22. Page 5, line 28. For "two and three" substitute "two, three and four".

23. Page 5, line 33. Add the following as new clauses "E" and "F":—

CLAUSE "E"

"Paragraphs (a) and (b) of section three of Schedule I of the said Act are repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"(a) if received in payment or part payment for securities which were vested in trust and sold by such company; or

"(b) if obtained under a *bona fide* arrangement for the reorganization of a corporation whose securities were previously vested in trust by the company, or for the amalgamation with another corporation of the corporation whose securities were so vested in trust."

CLAUSE "F"

"The Annex to Schedule II of the said Act is amended by repealing subparagraph four of paragraph one of (A) thereof and substituting the following therefor:—

"If the net level premium for the life insurance risks incurred by the company in issuing the policy does not exceed the whole life net level premium for a like amount of whole life insurance, the valuation premium shall be the net level premium for a like policy as of an age one year greater than the age

at entry assumed to be payable at the beginning of the second and each subsequent policy year for which premiums are payable under the terms of the policy to be valued."

Ordered, That the said Amendments be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Casgrain, it was—

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

1. What was the value in money of the imports to Canada yearly from 1867 to 1933, both inclusive?
2. What was the value in money of the exports from Canada during the same period?
3. What was the exodus in number yearly from Canada to the United States in the same period?

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table return to the said Order forthwith.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Gillis, it was—

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

1. The total indebtedness of the ports of Montreal and Quebec, respectively, under management of the Harbour Commissioners.
 - (a) The amount spent by such authorities, respectively, on improvements, upkeep, maintenance, overhead and borrowing charges during the last ten years.
 - (b) If any of these capital charges have been liquidated—how much, by whom and when?
 - (c) If interest charges have not been paid in full, how much has been unpaid in respect to each port and if the Dominion Government paid any portion of such interest charges, how much did the Government pay in respect to each port?
2. The number of grain elevators between the head of the Lakes, to and including the City of Quebec, owned respectively by the Dominion Government, Harbour Commissioners or subsidized by the Dominion Government.
 - (a) The name and description of each such elevator and the cost, expense of annual maintenance, upkeep and overhead.
3. The total expenditure from all sources for dredging reclaiming works on the St. Lawrence River between the eastern end of the Lachine Canal, Montreal, to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.
 - (a) The amount supposed to be expended for the year 1934 by all Government Departments for dredging on the St. Lawrence River from Lake Ontario to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.
 - (b) The number and value of dredges with auxiliaries owned or operated under Dominion Government control.
 - (c) The annual cost of maintenance, upkeep, operation and repair of such dredges during each of the last ten years.
4. The number and value of ice-breaking vessels operated by the Dominion Government between the head of the Lakes and Sydney, N.S.
 - (a) The approximate cost of operating, maintenance, upkeep and repair of such vessels during each of the last ten years.

5. The number of vessels, including ice-breakers, operated between Lake Ontario to and including the Lower St. Lawrence between October and December 31, 1933, for the purpose of keeping the ports of the St. Lawrence River open for navigation, looking after aids to navigation and other services.

- (a) The total cost for the above period.
- (b) Whether the Dominion Government paid the whole of such cost. If not, how much of it did the Government pay?
- (c) Whether shipping contributed to the cost of such services and, if so, how much?

6. The number of shipping accidents on the St. Lawrence River during the fiscal year 1933-34.

- (a) The number of such accidents which were major casualties.
- (b) The number of ocean and coasting vessels ready to proceed to sea that failed by reason of weather conditions to depart from the St. Lawrence River.
- (c) The number of such vessels still in Canada.

7. The approximate value of lighthouses, lightships and other aids to navigation including radio aids and buoy boats, but not including dredges and ice-breakers on the St. Lawrence.

- (a) The cost of operating, maintaining and upkeep generally of the above during the last ten years.

8. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Churchill in 1933.

9. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Montreal in 1933.

10. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Fort William in 1933.

11. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Fort William to Montreal in 1933.

12. The water rate charges on wheat per bushel via St. Lawrence Waterways to Montreal from Fort William between 1923 and 1934.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

That he will call attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and will move that, a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

After further debate,

The Honourable Senator McRae moved in amendment that all the words after the word "that" in the said motion be left out and the following substituted therefor:—

"a special Committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into and to make a comprehensive study of all phases of the conditions relating to the sealing trade and the Canadian fishing industry, and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records; to employ clerical and stenographic service as required, and to report from time to time."

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (32), intituled: "An Act to amend the Technical Education Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (25), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement respecting the joint use by His Majesty and the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway of certain tracks and premises of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Quebec," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 21st March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 21st March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

14th March—That he will call attention to the newly appointed Trustees of the Canadian National Railways, and will ask that information be placed on the table of the Senate concerning the Pool trains.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

15th March—1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 21st March, 1934

No. 1.

20th March—Consideration of the amendments made to (Bill B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932."—(Honourable Senator Black.)

No. 2.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill 32), intituled: "An Act to amend the Technical Education Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

20th March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

That he will call attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and will move that a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

And the amendment moved—

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That all the words after the word "that" be left out and the following substituted therefor; "A special Committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into and to make a comprehensive study of all phases of the conditions relating to the sealing trade and the Canadian Fishing Industry, and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records to employ, clerical and stenographic service as required, and to report from time to time."—(Honourable Senator King.)

No. 4.

20th March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 5.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

No. 6.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 7.

14th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 8.

15th March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

For Thursday, 22nd March, 1934**No. 1.**

20th March—Consideration of the eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

20th March—Consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

20th March—Consideration of the tenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Archer Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

20th March—Consideration of the eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

20th March—Consideration of the twelfth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lois Theresa Malcolm, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill G), "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill H), "An Act for the relief of Clara Dingman Freeman."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 8.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill I), "An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 9.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill J), “An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg.”—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 10.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill K), “An Act for the relief of Eva Brabant Paradis.”—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 11.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill L), “An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs.”—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 18

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 21st March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Lewis,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	Little,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Gordon,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Barnard,	Graham,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Green,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Black,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McRae,	Smith,
Burns,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Spence,
Calder,	Hughes,	Michener,	Tanner,
Casgrain,	King,	Molloy,	Taylor,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	Tobin,
Coté,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	White (Pembroke),
Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	Wilson
Fauteux,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2, line 35. After "dollars;" insert "Save that in the case of loans of one hundred dollars or less in amount, the said charge for the legal and other actual expenses disbursed by the Company in connection with the loan, but not exceeding the sum of ten dollars, shall be in lieu of the charge authorized by sub-paragraph (ii) of this paragraph;"

The said amendment was concurred in.

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Casgrain called attention to the newly appointed Trustees of the Canadian National Railways, and asked that information be placed on the Table of the Senate concerning the Pool trains.

Debated.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932."

The said amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (32), intituled: "An Act to amend the Technical Education Act," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

That he will call attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and will move that, a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

And the motion, in amendment, of the Honourable Senator McRae that all the words after the word "that" in the said motion be left out and the following substituted therefor:—

"a special Committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into and to make a comprehensive study of all phases of the conditions relating to the sealing trade and the Canadian fishing industry, and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records; to employ clerical and stenographic service as required, and to report from time to time."

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

It was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 22nd March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 22nd March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

15th March—1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

For Friday, 23rd March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

20th March—That he will enquire of the Government the following:—

1. What was the salary of the Canadian Advisory Officer of the League of Nations and what are the other expenses of his office for the year 1932-33?

2. What were the total expenses of Canadian Delegates to the Assembly and all other meetings or conferences connected with the League of Nations during the year 1932-33?

3. What contribution did Canada make for publications issued by the League of Nations for the year 1932-33?

4. What was the total sum of money Canada expended in connection with the League of Nations for the year 1932-33, including the disarmament conference?

5. What amount of money, if any, did Canada contribute to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the year 1932-33?

6. Has the Government anything resembling an Annual Financial Balance Sheet of the League, showing receipts and disbursements either for the year 1932 or 1933 and, if so, will the same be laid on the table?

7. What is the total amount of money that has been collected by the League of Nations, the names of the States contributing same and the amount contributed by each?

8. What is the basis of assessment for the States—members of the League—to meet the expenditures of the League and how is it determined?

9. For a statement showing the distribution of funds received by the League of Nations and the amount paid to each branch or department of the League.

10. The total number of employees of the League including all Departments which receive support from the League with the number of employees in each department.

11. What percentage of the League's expenditure was contributed by (a) Germany, and (b) Japan, prior to their withdrawal?

12. A list of the members and the assessment in dollars paid by each member for the year 1932-33.

13. What are the names of the States—members of the League—who sent representatives to any Meeting of the League in the year 1933?

14. Of the nineteen States in arrears in their dues to the League as shown in return of January 31, 1933,—

(a) Have any of these States withdrawn from the League and, if so, what ones?

(b) Have any of these States paid their arrears and, if so, what ones?

(c) Have any of these States while in arrears attended and taken part in the deliberations of the League in 1933 and, if so, what ones?

15. Has any state been dropped from membership for non-payment of dues?

16. Have any charges been made during the year 1933 through the Contingency Votes of any Department in connection with the expenses of Delegates to the various overseas Conferences and Commissions and, if so, what Departments and the amount of money so charged to each Department?

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 22nd March, 1934

No. 1.

21st March—Third Reading (Bill D), intituled: “An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation,” as amended.—(Honourable Senator Foster.)

No. 2.

21st March—Third Reading (Bill B), intituled: “An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932,” as amended.—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

21st March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 32), intituled: “An Act to amend the Technical Education Act.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

21st March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

That he will call attention to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; and will move that a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in this connection; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

And the amendment moved—

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That all the words after the word “that” be left out and the following substituted therefor; “A special Committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into and to make a comprehensive study of all phases of the conditions relating to the sealing trade and the Canadian Fishing Industry, and that the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records to employ, clerical and stenographic service as required, and to report from time to time.”—(Honourable Senator McDonald.)

No. 5.

20th March—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 6.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 11), intituled: “An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited.”—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

No. 7.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 8.

14th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 9.

15th March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 10.

20th March—Consideration of the eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 11.

20th March—Consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 12.

20th March—Consideration of the tenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Archer Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 13.

20th March—Consideration of the eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 14.

20th March—Consideration of the twelfth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lois Theresa Malcolm, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 15.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill G), "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 16.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill H), "An Act for the relief of Clara Dingham Freeman."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 17.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill I), "An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 18.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill J), “An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg.”—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 19.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill K), “An Act for the relief of Eva Brabant Paradis.”—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 20.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill L), “An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs.”—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 19

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 22nd March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	Little,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Barnard,	Graham,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Green,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Black,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Horner,	McMeans,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Spence,
Burns,	Hughes,	Michener,	Tanner,
Calder,	King,	Molloy,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	Tobin,
Copp,	Laird,	Murdock,	Webster,
Coté,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	White (Pembroke),
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	Wilson
Donnelly,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented the following Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 22nd March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce beg leave to report, as follows:—

1. The Committee recommends that it be authorized to sit during adjournments of the Senate.

All which is respectfully submitted.

F. B. BLACK,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (23), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm the agreement respecting the joint use by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company of certain tracks and premises of His Majesty at Saint John, N.B.," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (24), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between the Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company and the Campbellford, Lake Ontario and Western Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, clerk, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Shahda Koudsy.

2. The Committee recommend that out of the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 the sum of \$50 be paid to the respondent on account of the conduct of her defence.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Robinson, from the Special Committee on Public Accounts of Canada, etc., presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 22nd March, 1934.

The Special Committee appointed to take into consideration and report from time to time upon the Public Accounts of Canada, etc., beg leave to present their first Report, as follows:—

1. The Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator Foster moved that the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation," be now read a third time.

In amendment, it was moved by the Honourable Senator Murdock that all the words after the word "be" be left out and the following substituted therefor:—

"committed to a Committee of the Whole at the next sitting of the Senate."

After debate, and—

The question of concurrence being put on the motion in amendment,

It was resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (32), intituled: "An Act to amend the Technical Education Act."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Taylor:—

That a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into the results of existing treaties in connection with the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters; with power to call for persons and papers and to take evidence under oath.

And the motion, in amendment, of the Honourable Senator McRae that all the words after the word "That" in the said motion be left out and the following substituted therefor:—

"a special committee of the Senate be appointed to inquire into and to make a comprehensive study of all phases of the conditions relating to the sealing trade and the Canadian fishing industry, and that the committee have power to send for persons, papers and records; to employ clerical and stenographic service as required, and to report from time to time."

After debate, and—

The question of concurrence being put on the motion in amendment,

It was passed in the negative.

The question being put on the main motion,

It was resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Murphy:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the work of the Senate and to the efforts made by the Senate to secure the initiation in this House of Government measures, and will inquire if it is the intention of the Government to introduce in the Senate at an early date any of the legislation indicated in the Speech from the Throne.

Debated.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee, it was—

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee, it was—

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the tenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Archer Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee, it was—

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee, it was—

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the twelfth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lois Theresa Malcolm, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee, it was—

Ordered, That the same be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Clara Dingman Freeman," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eva Brabant Paradis," it was—
Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs," it was—
Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Friday, 23rd March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Friday, 23rd March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

15th March—1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

20th March—That he will enquire of the Government the following:—

1. What was the salary of the Canadian Advisory Officer of the League of Nations and what are the other expenses of his office for the year 1932-33?

2. What were the total expenses of Canadian Delegates to the Assembly and all other meetings or conferences connected with the League of Nations during the year 1932-33?

3. What contribution did Canada make for publications issued by the League of Nations for the year 1932-33?

4. What was the total sum of money Canada expended in connection with the League of Nations for the year 1932-33, including the disarmament conference?

5. What amount of money, if any, did Canada contribute to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the year 1932-33?

6. Has the Government anything resembling an Annual Financial Balance Sheet of the League, showing receipts and disbursements either for the year 1932 or 1933 and, if so, will the same be laid on the table?
7. What is the total amount of money that has been collected by the League of Nations, the names of the States contributing same and the amount contributed by each?
8. What is the basis of assessment for the States—members of the League—to meet the expenditures of the League and how is it determined?
9. For a statement showing the distribution of funds received by the League of Nations and the amount paid to each branch or department of the League.
10. The total number of employees of the League including all Departments which receive support from the League with the number of employees in each department.
11. What percentage of the League's expenditure was contributed by (a) Germany, and (b) Japan, prior to their withdrawal?
12. A list of the members and the assessment in dollars paid by each member for the year 1932-33.
13. What are the names of the States—members of the League—who sent representatives to any Meeting of the League in the year 1933?
14. Of the nineteen States in arrears in their dues to the League as shown in return of January 31, 1933,—
 - (a) Have any of these States withdrawn from the League and, if so, what ones?
 - (b) Have any of these States paid their arrears and, if so, what ones?
 - (c) Have any of these States while in arrears attended and taken part in the deliberations of the League in 1933 and, if so, what ones?
15. Has any state been dropped from membership for non-payment of dues?
16. Have any charges been made during the year 1933 through the Contingency Votes of any Department in connection with the expenses of Delegates to the various overseas Conferences and Commissions and, if so, what Departments and the amount of money so charged to each Department?

MOTION

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

21st March—That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Friday, 23rd March, 1934

No. 1.

22nd March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill D), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation," as amended.—(Honourable Senator Murdock.)

No. 2.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

No. 3.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

14th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 5.

15th March—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 6.

20th March—Consideration of the eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

20th March—Consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 8.

20th March—Consideration of the tenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Archer Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 9.

20th March—Consideration of the eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 10.

20th March—Consideration of the twelfth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lois Theresa Malcolm, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 11.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill G), "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 12.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill H), "An Act for the relief of Clara Dingman Freeman."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 13.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill I), "An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 14.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill J), "An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 15.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill K), "An Act for the relief of Eva Brabant Paradis."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 16.

20th March—Second Reading (Bill L), "An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 20

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Friday, 23rd March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Murphy,
(Sir Allen,)	Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Planta,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Lewis,	Pope,
Barnard,	Fripp,	Little,	Rainville,
Bénard,	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Black,	Green,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Robinson,
Bourque,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Brown,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McGuire,	Smith,
Burns,	Horsey,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hughes,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	King,	Michener,	Tobin,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Molloy,	White (Pembroke).
Coté,	Laird,	Murdock,	

PRAYERS.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Friday, the thirteenth day of April, next.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration, in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Wednesday, the eleventh day of April, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole on Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the tenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lily Archer Watson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twelfth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lois Theresa Malcolm, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast," was, on division, read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Clara Dingman Freeman," was, on division, read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper," was, on division, read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg," was, on division, read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eva Brabant Paradis," was, on division, read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs," was, on division, read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read a third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented the following Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 23rd March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce beg leave to report, as follows:—

1. The Committee recommends that it be authorized to meet during sittings of the Senate.

All which is respectfully submitted.

F. B. BLACK,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (41), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year, ending the 31st March, 1935," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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 Tuesday, next.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Taylor, it was—

Ordered, That the special committee of the Senate appointed to inquire into the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters, and the results of existing treaties in this connection, be composed of the Honourable Senators Bourque, Foster, Horsey, King, Little, Moraud, McCormick, McRae, Sinclair, Tanner, and Taylor.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Report on Conference on Limitation and Reduction of Armaments, Geneva, 1932-1934 (English and French editions).

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 27th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 27th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

15th March—1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

20th March—That he will enquire of the Government the following:—

1. What was the salary of the Canadian Advisory Officer of the League of Nations and what are the other expenses of his office for the year 1932-33?

2. What were the total expenses of Canadian Delegates to the Assembly and all other meetings or conferences connected with the League of Nations during the year 1932-33?

3. What contribution did Canada make for publications issued by the League of Nations for the year 1932-33?

4. What was the total sum of money Canada expended in connection with the League of Nations for the year 1932-33, including the disarmament conference?

5. What amount of money, if any, did Canada contribute to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the year 1932-33?

6. Has the Government anything resembling an Annual Financial Balance Sheet of the League, showing receipts and disbursements either for the year 1932 or 1933 and, if so, will the same be laid on the table?

7. What is the total amount of money that has been collected by the League of Nations, the names of the States contributing same and the amount contributed by each?

8. What is the basis of assessment for the States—members of the League—to meet the expenditures of the League and how is it determined?

9. For a statement showing the distribution of funds received by the League of Nations and the amount paid to each branch or department of the League.

10. The total number of employees of the League including all Departments which receive support from the League with the number of employees in each department.

11. What percentage of the League's expenditure was contributed by (a) Germany, and (b) Japan, prior to their withdrawal?

12. A list of the members and the assessment in dollars paid by each member for the year 1932-33.

13. What are the names of the States—members of the League—who sent representatives to any Meeting of the League in the year 1933?

14. Of the nineteen States in arrears in their dues to the League as shown in return of January 31, 1933,—

(a) Have any of these States withdrawn from the League and, if so, what ones?

(b) Have any of these States paid their arrears and, if so, what ones?

(c) Have any of these States while in arrears attended and taken part in the deliberations of the League in 1933 and, if so, what ones?

15. Has any state been dropped from membership for non-payment of dues?

16. Have any charges been made during the year 1933 through the Contingency Votes of any Department in connection with the expenses of Delegates to the various overseas Conferences and Commissions and, if so, what Departments and the amount of money so charged to each Department?

MOTION

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

21st March—That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 27th March, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

No. 2.

23rd March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

23rd March—Second Reading (Bill 41), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

For Tuesday, 3rd April, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

For Wednesday, 11th April, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 21

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 27th March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Barnard,	Fripp,	Little,	Murphy,
Beaubien,	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Parent,
Black,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Pope,
Blondin,	Green,	Macdonell,	Rainville,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Brown,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Calder,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Chapais,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Sharpe,
Copp,	King,	Molloy,	Tanner,
Coté,	Laird,	Murdock,	Tobin,
Dandurand,			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

Of the Right Reverend Archibald Lang Fleming, Bishop of the Arctic (Incorporation).

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Race Meetings)," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (22), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Beaubien, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (41), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1935," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Annual Report of the Canadian National Railway System for the year ended 31st December, 1933 (English and French editions).

Annual Reports of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine, Limited and Canadian National (West Indies) Steamships, Limited, for the year ended 31st December, 1933 (English and French editions).

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 28th March, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 28th March, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

15th March—1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

20th March—That he will enquire of the Government the following:—

1. What was the salary of the Canadian Advisory Officer of the League of Nations and what are the other expenses of his office for the year 1932-33?

2. What were the total expenses of Canadian Delegates to the Assembly and all other meetings or conferences connected with the League of Nations during the year 1932-33?

3. What contribution did Canada make for publications issued by the League of Nations for the year 1932-33?

4. What was the total sum of money Canada expended in connection with the League of Nations for the year 1932-33, including the disarmament conference?

5. What amount of money, if any, did Canada contribute to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the year 1932-33?

6. Has the Government anything resembling an Annual Financial Balance Sheet of the League, showing receipts and disbursements either for the year 1932 or 1933 and, if so, will the same be laid on the table?
7. What is the total amount of money that has been collected by the League of Nations, the names of the States contributing same and the amount contributed by each?
8. What is the basis of assessment for the States—members of the League—to meet the expenditures of the League and how is it determined?
9. For a statement showing the distribution of funds received by the League of Nations and the amount paid to each branch or department of the League.
10. The total number of employees of the League including all Departments which receive support from the League with the number of employees in each department.
11. What percentage of the League's expenditure was contributed by (a) Germany, and (b) Japan, prior to their withdrawal?
12. A list of the members and the assessment in dollars paid by each member for the year 1932-33.
13. What are the names of the States—members of the League—who sent representatives to any Meeting of the League in the year 1933?
14. Of the nineteen States in arrears in their dues to the League as shown in return of January 31, 1933,—
 - (a) Have any of these States withdrawn from the League and, if so, what ones?
 - (b) Have any of these States paid their arrears and, if so, what ones?
 - (c) Have any of these States while in arrears attended and taken part in the deliberations of the League in 1933 and, if so, what ones?
15. Has any state been dropped from membership for non-payment of dues?
16. Have any charges been made during the year 1933 through the Contingency Votes of any Department in connection with the expenses of Delegates to the various overseas Conferences and Commissions and, if so, what Departments and the amount of money so charged to each Department?

MOTION

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

21st March—That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 28th March, 1934

No. 1.

27th March—Second Reading (Bill 35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Race Meetings)."—(Honourable Senator Tanner.)

For Wednesday, 11th April, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

For Friday, 13th April, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 22

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 28th March, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Barnard,	Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Molloy,
Beaubien,	Fripp,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,
Black,	Gillis,	Little,	Murphy,
Blondin,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Parent,
Bourque,	Green,	Macdonald,	Pope,
Brown,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Calder,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Casgrain,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Chapais,	Horsey,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Copp,	King,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Coté,	Laird,	Michener,	Tobin,
			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator White (Pembroke):—
Of the Buffalo and Fort Erie Public Bridge Company.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator White (Pembroke), it was—
Ordered, That the petition of the Buffalo and Fort Erie Public Bridge Company be now read and received.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (52), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1934," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Deputy Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 28th March, 1934.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Right Honourable Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to-day at 5 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Deputy Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Race Meetings)," was read the second time, and—
Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday, the eleventh day of April, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

The Honourable Senator Hardy, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 28th March, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their sixth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of Buffalo and Fort Erie Public Bridge Company; praying for the passing of an Act empowering it to transfer and convey its property and assets to the Buffalo and Fort Erie Public Bridge Authority.

Of The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada; praying for the passing of an Act amending its Act of incorporation by adding to its corporate name the name of "La Corporation de Prêts et d'escomptes du Canada," and for other purposes.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. C. HARDY,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Marcotte presented to the Senate a Bill (M), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (13), intituled: "An Act respecting the Buffalo and Fort Erie Public Bridge Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Right Honourable Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of Canada, Deputy Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

“It is the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General’s desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber.”

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act to amend The Fisheries Act, 1932.

An Act to authorize an agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa.

An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways.

An Act to amend the Technical Education Act.

An Act to ratify and confirm the agreement respecting the joint use by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company of certain tracks and premises of His Majesty at Saint John, N.B.

An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement made between The Canadian Northern Ontario Railway Company and The Campbellford, Lake Ontario and Western Railway Company.

An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act.

An Act respecting the Buffalo and Fort Erie Public Bridge Company.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills.”

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

“The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service;

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bills:—

“An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1934.”

“An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935.”

“To which Bills I humbly request Your Honour's assent.”

After the Clerk had read the titles of these Bills.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to these Bills.”

After which the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate was resumed.

The Senate adjourned until Wednesday, the eleventh day of April, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 11th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 11th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

15th March—1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

20th March—That he will enquire of the Government the following:—

1. What was the salary of the Canadian Advisory Officer of the League of Nations and what are the other expenses of his office for the year 1932-33?

2. What were the total expenses of Canadian Delegates to the Assembly and all other meetings or conferences connected with the League of Nations during the year 1932-33?

3. What contribution did Canada make for publications issued by the League of Nations for the year 1932-33?

4. What was the total sum of money Canada expended in connection with the League of Nations for the year 1932-33, including the disarmament conference?

5. What amount of money, if any, did Canada contribute to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the year 1932-33?

6. Has the Government anything resembling an Annual Financial Balance Sheet of the League, showing receipts and disbursements either for the year 1932 or 1933 and, if so, will the same be laid on the table?

7. What is the total amount of money that has been collected by the League of Nations, the names of the States contributing same and the amount contributed by each?

8. What is the basis of assessment for the States—members of the League—to meet the expenditures of the League and how is it determined?

9. For a statement showing the distribution of funds received by the League of Nations and the amount paid to each branch or department of the League.

10. The total number of employees of the League including all Departments which receive support from the League with the number of employees in each department.

11. What percentage of the League's expenditure was contributed by (a) Germany, and (b) Japan, prior to their withdrawal?

12. A list of the members and the assessment in dollars paid by each member for the year 1932-33.

13. What are the names of the States—members of the League—who sent representatives to any Meeting of the League in the year 1933?

14. Of the nineteen States in arrears in their dues to the League as shown in return of January 31, 1933,—

(a) Have any of these States withdrawn from the League and, if so, what ones?

(b) Have any of these States paid their arrears and, if so, what ones?

(c) Have any of these States while in arrears attended and taken part in the deliberations of the League in 1933 and, if so, what ones?

15. Has any state been dropped from membership for non-payment of dues?

16. Have any charges been made during the year 1933 through the Contingency Votes of any Department in connection with the expenses of Delegates to the various overseas Conferences and Commissions and, if so, what Departments and the amount of money so charged to each Department?

MOTION

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

21st March—That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 11th April, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

No. 2.

28th March—Second Reading (Bill 26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

28th March—Second Reading (Bill M), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada."—(Honourable Senator Marcotte.)

For Friday, 13th April, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 23

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 11th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Fauteux,	Little,	Murphy,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Logan,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Rankin,
Barnard,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Green,	Macdonald,	Robinson,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Brown,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Smith,
Calder,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Spence,
Casgrain,	King,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Michener,	Tobin,
Coté,	Laird,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Dennis,			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of the Right Reverend Archibald Lang Fleming, Bishop of the Arctic; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Bishop of the Arctic."

On motion, it was—

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

1. What was the salary of the Canadian Advisory Officer of the League of Nations and what are the other expenses of his office for the year 1932-33?
2. What were the total expenses of Canadian Delegates to the Assembly and all other meetings or conferences connected with the League of Nations during the year 1932-33?
3. What contribution did Canada make for publications issued by the League of Nations for the year 1932-33?
4. What was the total sum of money Canada expended in connection with the League of Nations for the year 1932-33, including the disarmament conference?
5. What amount of money, if any, Canada contributed to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the year 1932-33?
6. A statement resembling an Annual Financial Balance Sheet of the League, showing receipts and disbursements either for the year 1932 or 1933.
7. The total amount of money that has been collected by the League of Nations, the names of the States contributing same, and the amount contributed by each?
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9. A statement showing the distribution of funds received by the League of Nations and the amount paid to each branch or department of the League.
10. The total number of employees of the League including all Departments which receive support from the League with the number of employees in each department.
11. What percentage of the League's expenditure was contributed by (a) Germany, and (b) Japan, prior to their withdrawal?
12. A list of the members and the assessment in dollars paid by each member for the year 1932-33.
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 - (a) Have any of these States withdrawn from the League and, if so, what ones?
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 - (c) Have any of these States while in arrears attended and taken part in the deliberations of the League in 1933 and, if so, what ones?
15. If any state has been dropped from membership for non-payment of dues?

16. If any charges have been made during the year 1933 through the Contingency Votes of any Department in connection with the expenses of Delegates to the various overseas Conferences and Commissions and, if so, what Departments and the amount of money so charged to each Department?

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table Return forthwith.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Report of the Civil Service Commission of Canada for the year ending 31st December, 1933 (French edition).

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes."

(In the Committee)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

Clause 1 was read and agreed to.

Clause 2 was read, and it was moved by the Honourable Senator Beaubien that it be amended by inserting in line 15, after the word "hospitals," the words "educational or charitable institutions".

A Point of Order was raised by the Honourable Senator Murdock to the effect that the proposed amendment was out of order for the reason that it changed the principle of the Bill.

The Chairman ruled the Point of Order not well taken.

The Honourable Senator Murdock appealed to the House against the said ruling of the Chairman.

Accordingly the Committee rose and the Chairman reported that a Point of Order had been raised, viz:—

That the proposed amendment changed the principle of the Bill.

The question was put: Shall the decision of the Chairman be sustained?

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down, as follows:—

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The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dandurand,	Lacasse,	Murphy,
Aylesworth	Dennis,	Laird,	Prevost,
(Sir Allen),	Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Riley,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Little,	Robinson,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Sharpe,
Beaubien,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Smith,
Black,	Green,	McDonald,	Tanner,
Brown,	Griesbach,	Meighen,	Tobin,
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McLennan,
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Schaffner,
Sinclair,
Spence—13.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The Committee of the Whole on the said Bill resumed.

(In the Committee)

The question being put on the amendment, the Committee divided as follows:—

Yeas, 28—Nays, 28.

It was declared passed in the negative.

Clause 2 was again read and agreed to.

Clauses 3 to 7, both inclusive, were read and agreed to.

Clause 8 was read and amended by adding the following as sub-clause (2):—
“This Act shall remain in force until the first day of January, 1939, and shall then expire.”

Clause 8, as amended, was again read and agreed to.

Preamble again read and agreed to.

Title again read and agreed to.

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk.

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (26), intituled: “An Act respecting Fruit and Honey,” was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M), intituled: “An Act to amend an Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada,” was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 12th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

MOTIONS

For Thursday, 12th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

11th April—That an Order of the House be issued for a return showing:—

1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

21st March—That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 12th April, 1934

No. 1.

11th April—Third Reading (Bill A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," as amended.—(Honourable Senator Barnard.)

For Friday, 13th April, 1934

No. 1.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 24

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 12th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Little,	Pope,
Aylesworth	Fauteux,	Logan,	Prevost,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Lynch-Staunton,	Rainville,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Barnard,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Green,	Macdonell,	Robinson,
Black,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Horsev,	Meighen,	Spence,
Calder,	King,	Michener,	Tanner,
Casgrain,	Lacasse,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Copp,	Laird,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Coté,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	Lewis,	Murphy,	White (Pembroke).
Dennis,			

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

- By the Honourable Senator Lynch-Staunton:—
 Of American Dairy Supply Company (Patent).
 Of Duplate Safety Glass Company of Canada, Limited (Patents).

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 12th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their seventh Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petition and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of the Right Reverend Archibald Lang Fleming, Bishop of the Arctic; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Bishop of the Arctic."

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator White (Inkerman), from the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 12th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend that the appointment of Messrs. Thomas Blacklock and J. A. Fortier to the reporting staff of the Senate, be continued for the present Session of Parliament upon the terms and conditions set forth in the Report of the Committee on Debates and Reporting of June 3rd, 1913, with the further recommendation that the rate of pay to Mr. Fortier be \$20 per week.

All which is respectfully submitted.

SMEATON WHITE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (25), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement respecting the joint use by His Majesty and the Commissioners of the

Transcontinental Railway of certain tracks and premises of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Quebec," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day—

The Honourable Senator Barnard moved that the Bill (A), intituled: "An Act with respect to Hospital Sweepstakes," be now read the third time.

In amendment, it was moved by the Honourable Senator Rainville, seconded by the Honourable Senator Dandurand, that the Bill be not now read a third time but that Clause 2 of the said Bill be amended by adding after the word "hospitals" in line 15 the following words: "educational or charitable institutions."

The question of concurrence being put on the motion in amendment,

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down, as follows:—

CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Fauteux,	Little,	Murphy,
(Sir Allen),	Harmer,	Macdonald,	Pope,
Blondin,	King,	Marcotte,	Prevost,
Calder,	Lacasse,	McLennan,	Rainville,
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Moraud,	Robinson,
			Tobin—20.

NON-CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Gillis,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Barnard,	Green,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Black,	Hardy,	Meighen,	Smith,
Bourque,	Hocken,	Michener,	Spence,
Buchanan,	Laird,	Molloy,	Tanner,
Copp,	Logan,	Murdock,	Turgeon,
Dennis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Rankin,	White (Inkerman),
Donnelly,	MacArthur,	Riley,	White
Fripp,	Macdonell,	Schaffner,	(Pembroke)—35.

It was passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the main motion,
The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down,
as follows:—

CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	Macdonell,	Riley,
(Sir Allen),	Green,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Barnard,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Tanner,
Black,	Lacasse,	McLennan,	Tobin,
Blondin,	Laird,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Bourque,	L'Espérance,	Morand,	White (Inkerman),
Calder,	Lewis,	Murphy,	White
Dennis,	Logan,	Pope,	(Pembroke)—37.
Donnelly,	Lynch-Staunton,	Prevost,	

NON-CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

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Buchanan,	Hocken,	Meighen,	Sharpe,
Copp,	King,	Michener,	Sinclair,
Dandurand,	Little,	Murdock,	Smith,
Gillis,	MacArthur,	Rankin,	Spence—20.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (2), intituled: "An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act, 1928," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, line 21. Insert the following as new clause "A":—

New Clause "A"

"Section seven of the said Act is amended by repealing paragraph (a) of subsection 2 thereof, and substituting the following therefor:—

"(a) a trade mark or trade marks registered in accordance with the *Unfair Competition Act, 1932*; and"

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

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

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government as follows:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?
2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?
3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?
4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934? If so, why?
5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?
6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?
7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?
8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?
9. Has the Government any definite policy as to the development of commercial aviation in Canada? If so, what is it?
10. Is it the policy of the Government to operate air services in Canada as a Government undertaking or is the Government encouraging private enterprises along this line?
11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?
12. Could this work have been carried out by commercial operators? If so, why were commercial operators not used?
13. How much air mail flying was carried out by the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 over a regular route and what was the cost of the same? Why was not this work done by commercial operators?

14. Would an independent committee made up in part of active commercial operators be of value to the country to investigate the aviation industry as a whole in Canada and bring in a recommendation to the Government?

15. To what extent has the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals taken over the radio service previously maintained by commercial Air Transport Firms in the Northwest Territories?

16. Are any extensions of this policy contemplated in the near future?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government:—

1. What has been the total cost to the Government of the MacMillan Report?

2. How much for transportation?

3. How much for living allowances?

4. How much for stenographers?

5. How much for clerical work?

6. How much for printing?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

12th April—1. The Waterway treaty between Canada and the United States having been rejected by the United States Senate, what is now the intention of the Government?

2. Would it not be proper for Canada to now declare officially that negotiations are ended?

MOTIONS

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Hughes:—

11th April—That an Order of the House be issued for a return showing:—

1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?
2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?
3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?
4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?
5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?
6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McRae:—

21st March—That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.

No. 3.

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

12th April—That Rule 114 be amended by deleting therefrom the following words which appear in lines 3 and 4 thereof: "eight days before the meeting of Parliament."

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

No. 1.

12th April—Third Reading (Bill 11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company Limited."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

No. 2.

12th April—Third Reading (Bill 25), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement respecting the joint use by His Majesty and the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway of certain tracks and premises of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Quebec."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

12th April—Consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting.—(Honourable Senator Smeaton White.)

No. 4.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 5.

12th April—Second Reading (Bill 9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 25

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 17th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Logan,	Parent,
Aylesworth	Foster,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Rankin,
Barnard,	Green,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Bénard,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Black,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Horsey,	McMeans,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Hughes,	McRae,	Spence,
Calder,	King,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Michener,	Taylor,
Coté,	Laird,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Dennis,	Lewis,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke).
Donnelly,	Little,	Murphy,	

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fourteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 13th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fourteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lucy Doris Cannon, of the city of St. Catharines, in the province of Ontario, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edward Frederick Cannon, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 13th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Gordon Royal Maybee, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 13th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Henry Richardson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventeenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 13th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventeenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Emmett Rockett Burke, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 13th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of William James Thistle, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, bank messenger, for an Act to dissolve his

marriage with Florence May Hollett Thistle, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Hughes, it was—

Ordered, That an Order of the House do issue for a Return showing:—

1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

The Honourable Senator McRae moved:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until Thursday, next.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That Rule 114 be amended by deleting therefrom the following words which appear in lines 3 and 4 thereof: "eight days before the meeting of Parliament."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Clara Dingman Freeman."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eva Bradant Paradis."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 13th April, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast, Clara Dingman Freeman, Marguerite Pearl Hopper, Sadye Harris Rosenberg, Eva Brabant Paradis, and Williamina Muir Briggs, respectively praying for Bills of Divorce; and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (42), intituled: "An Act respecting Relief Measures," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lily Archer Watson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lois Theresa Malcolm."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (11), intituled: "An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day,

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill (25), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement respecting the joint use by His Majesty and the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway of certain tracks and premises of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Quebec," be now read a third time.

In amendment, it was moved by the Honourable Senator Parent that the said Bill be not now read, but that it be read a third time this day six months.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 18th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 18th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government as follows:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?

2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?

3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?

4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934? If so, why?

5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?

6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?

7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?

8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?

9. Has the Government any definite policy as to the development of commercial aviation in Canada? If so, what is it?

10. Is it the policy of the Government to operate air services in Canada as a Government undertaking or is the Government encouraging private enterprises along this line?

11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?

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13. How much air mail flying was carried out by the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 over a regular route and what was the cost of the same? Why was not this work done by commercial operators?

14. Would an independent committee made up in part of active commercial operators be of value to the country to investigate the aviation industry as a whole in Canada and bring in a recommendation to the Government?

15. To what extent has the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals taken over the radio service previously maintained by commercial Air Transport Firms in the Northwest Territories?

16. Are any extensions of this policy contemplated in the near future?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government:—

1. What has been the total cost to the Government of the MacMillan Report?

2. How much for transportation?

3. How much for living allowances?

4. How much for stenographers?

5. How much for clerical work?

6. How much for printing?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

12th April—1. The Waterway treaty between Canada and the United States having been rejected by the United States Senate, what is now the intention of the Government?

2. Would it not be proper for Canada to now declare officially that negotiations are ended?

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 18th April, 1934

No. 1.

17th April—Resuming the adjourned debate on the Third Reading (Bill 25), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement respecting the joint use by His Majesty and the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway of certain tracks and premises of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Quebec," and the motion by the Honourable Senator Parent: That this Bill be not read a third time now but this day six months.—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

12th April—Consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting.—(Honourable Senator Smeaton White.)

No. 3.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

12th April—Second Reading (Bill 9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 5.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill 42), intituled: "An Act respecting Relief Measures."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

For Thursday, 19th April, 1934

No. 1.

17th April—Consideration of the fourteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lucy Doris Cannon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

17th April—Consideration of the fifteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

17th April—Consideration of the sixteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

17th April—Consideration of the seventeenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

17th April—Consideration of the eighteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William James Thistle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill N), "An Act for the relief of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill O), "An Act for the relief of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

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17th April—Second Reading (Bill Q), "An Act for the relief of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 10.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill R), "An Act for the relief of Lois Theresa Malcolm."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 11.

17th April—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Murdock.)

No. 26

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 18th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Foster,	Little,	Murphy,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Logan,	Parent,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,
Barnard,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Beaubien,	Green,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Black,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Brown,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Buchanan,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Burns,	Hughes,	McMeans,	Smith,
Calder,	King,	McRae,	Spence,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Coté,	Laird,	Michener,	Taylor,
Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Donnelly,			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally read and received:—

Of Duplate Safety Glass Company of Canada, Limited; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Commissioner of Patents to consider applications for patents covering inventions relating to processes and apparatus for the manufacture of glass as described in certain British patents, notwithstanding any limitation of time contained in section 7 of the Patent Act.

Of American Dairy Supply Company, of the city of Washington, District of Columbia, United States of America; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Commissioner of Patents to restore patent number 190,739 for certain new and useful improvements in and relating to closure discs.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (M), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 28. After "security" insert ": Provided, however, that the resale price at which the Company may sell any moveable property other than negotiable documents to the person from whom it was purchased by the Company shall not exceed the purchase price by an amount in excess of the total deductions, charges and fees to which the Company would be entitled under the provisions of paragraph (b) of this subsection in respect of a loan of a principal amount equal to such resale price."

Page 2, line 21. After "instalments" insert "on capital".

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Tanner, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Race meetings)," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Copy of General Rules and Orders of the Exchequer Court of Canada.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (38), intituled: "An Act to amend the Dairy Industry Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (39), intituled: "An Act to amend the Destructive Insect and Pest Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the third reading of the Bill (25), intituled: "An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement respecting the joint use by His Majesty and the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway of certain tracks and premises of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Quebec," and the motion in amendment, of the Honourable Senator, Parent, that the said Bill be not now read, but that it be read a third time this day six months.

After further debate, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The motion in amendment was withdrawn.

The question again being put on the main motion,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Debates and Reporting. The said Report was adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until tomorrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (42), intituled: "An Act respecting Relief Measures," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 19th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 19th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government as follows:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?
2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?
3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?
4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934? If so, why?
5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?
6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?
7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?
8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?
9. Has the Government any definite policy as to the development of commercial aviation in Canada? If so, what is it?
10. Is it the policy of the Government to operate air services in Canada as a Government undertaking or is the Government encouraging private enterprises along this line?
11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?
12. Could this work have been carried out by commercial operators? If so, why were commercial operators not used?
13. How much air mail flying was carried out by the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 over a regular route and what was the cost of the same? Why was not this work done by commercial operators?

14. Would an independent committee made up in part of active commercial operators be of value to the country to investigate the aviation industry as a whole in Canada and bring in a recommendation to the Government?

15. To what extent has the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals taken over the radio service previously maintained by commercial Air Transport Firms in the Northwest Territories?

16. Are any extensions of this policy contemplated in the near future?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government:—

1. What has been the total cost to the Government of the MacMillan Report?

2. How much for transportation?
3. How much for living allowances?
4. How much for stenographers?
5. How much for clerical work?
6. How much for printing?

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

12th April—1. The Waterway treaty between Canada and the United States having been rejected by the United States Senate, what is now the intention of the Government?

2. Would it not be proper for Canada to now declare officially that negotiations are ended?

For Tuesday, 24th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Dennis:—

18th April—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the immense possibilities of the tourist trade, and inquire if it is possible for the Government to secure the co-operation of the provincial authorities and transportation interests towards its greater development.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 19th April, 1934

No. 1.

18th April—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 42), intituled: "An Act respecting Relief Measures."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

18th April—Third Reading (Bill M), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada," as amended.—(Honourable Senator Marcotte.)

No. 3.

18th April—Third Reading (Bill 35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Race meetings)."—(Honourable Senator Tanner.)

No. 4.

14th March—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 5.

17th April—Consideration of the fourteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lucy Doris Cannon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

17th April—Consideration of the fifteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

17th April—Consideration of the sixteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 8.

17th April—Consideration of the seventeenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 9.

17th April—Consideration of the eighteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William James Thistle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 10.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill N), "An Act for the relief of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 11.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill O), "An Act for the relief of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 12.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill P), "An Act for the relief of Lily Archer Watson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 13.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill Q), "An Act for the relief of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 14.

17th April—Second Reading (Bill R), "An Act for the relief of Lois Theresa Malcolm."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 15.

17th April—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Murdock.)

No. 27

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 19th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Morand,
Aylesworth	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Foster,	Little,	Murphy,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Logan,	Parent,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,
Beaubien,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Bénard,	Green,	Macdonald,	Rankin,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Blondin,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Burns,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Smith,
Calder,	Hughes,	McMeans,	Spence,
Casgrain,	King,	McRae,	Tanner,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Coté,	Laird,	Michener,	Tobin,
Dennis,	Lemieux,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 18th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of Duplate Safety Glass Company of Canada, Limited; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Commissioner of Patents to consider applications for patents covering inventions relating to processes and apparatus for the manufacture of glass as described in certain British patents, notwithstanding any limitation of time contained in section 7 of the Patents Act.

Of American Dairy Supply Company, of the city of Washington, District of Columbia, United States of America; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Commissioner of Patents to restore patent number 190,739 for certain new and useful improvements in and relating to closure discs.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the Bill (26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That the said Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator McLennan, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the whole at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the Bill (38), intituled: "An Act to amend the Dairy Industry Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the Bill (39), intituled: "An Act to amend the Destructive Insect and Pest Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, line 30. Leave out " a ".
2. Page 2, line 3. Insert the following as new clause "A":—

New Clause "A"

" Section twenty-six of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

" 26. The provisions of this section shall extend and apply to every mutual company and to every company, other than a company authorized to transact life insurance, having a capital stock, whether called by the name of capital stock, guarantee fund, or any other name, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any special Act relating to any such company or in any by-law or by-laws thereof.

(2) At all meetings at which holders of shares in the capital stock or guarantee capital, policyholders, or members are entitled to vote, they may respectively vote by proxy and every proxy must be himself a shareholder, policy holder or member and entitled to vote.

(3) Any mutual life insurance company may by by-law, provide that all directors shall be elected for one, two or three years. If the by-law provides for a two years' or three years' term of office, it may also provide either, (a) that the term of office shall be continuous for all directors, or, (b) that a certain proportion, not less than one-third, shall retire annually."

3. Page 2, line 11. For " enacted " substitute " substituted ".
4. Page 3, line 19. After " company " insert ", or by any combination of such persons;".
5. Page 5, line 22. After " seventy-one " insert " of the said Act ".
6. Page 5, line 36. After " eighty-one " insert " of the said Act ".
7. Page 11, line 12. For " interest " substitute " interests ".
8. Page 12, line 33. Add the following as subclause (3) of new clause 120:—

"(3) The following adaptations and modifications of the provisions of this Act shall apply in respect of members of Lloyd's registered under this Act, namely,

(a) In the list required to be published quarterly by the Minister pursuant to the provisions of section fifty-four of this Act, there shall be included such summary statement concerning members of Lloyd's registered under this Act as the Minister may deem sufficient and appropriate;

(b) In preparing his annual report for the Minister pursuant to the provisions of section sixty-eight of this Act, the Superintendent shall include such a summary inclusive statement or statements of the business in Canada of all members of Lloyd's registered under this Act as the Minister may require;

(c) Where any person is chief agent in Canada for more than one registered member of Lloyd's, it shall be sufficient for such chief agent, in preparing the annual statement required to be made under the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-seven of this Act, to prepare such inclusive statement or statements as the Minister may require of the business of all of the members of Lloyd's for whom such person is chief agent; and

(d) Such other adaptations and modifications as the Governor in Council may by order from time to time prescribe; and any order so made shall be published in the next succeeding issue of the *Canada Gazette*."

9. Page 13, line 36. Add the following as subclause (5) of new clause 122:—

"(5) From any final judgment given by the Exchequer Court of Canada upon any appeal brought before the said Court under the provisions of this section, any of the interested parties, including the Crown, may, within fifteen days from the day on which such judgment has been given, appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada, and the judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada upon any such appeal shall, in all cases, be final and conclusive, and notwithstanding any Royal prerogative or anything contained in the *Interpretation Act* or in the *Supreme Court Act* or any other statute or law, no further appeal shall lie or be brought from any judgment so pronounced by the Supreme Court of Canada."

10. Page 14, line 32. For "this" substitute "the said".

11. Page 15, line 15. For "this" substitute "the said".

12. Page 15, line 34. For "this" substitute "the said".

13. Page 15, line 39. After "seventy-four" insert "of this Act".

14. Page 16, line 9. After "seventy-eight" insert "of this Act".

15. Page 19, line 42. Add the following as subclause (5) of new clause 149:—

"(5) From any final judgment given by the Exchequer Court of Canada upon any appeal brought before the said Court under the provisions of this section, any of the interested parties, including the Crown, may, within fifteen days from the day on which such judgment has been given, appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada, and the judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada upon any such appeal, shall, in all cases, be final and conclusive, and notwithstanding any Royal prerogative or anything contained in the *Interpretation Act* or in the *Supreme Court Act* or any other statute or law, no further appeal shall lie or be brought from any judgment so pronounced by the Supreme Court of Canada."

16. Page 20, line 11. After "inclusive" insert "of this Act".

17. Page 20, line 24. For "this" substitute "the said".

18. Page 20, line 26. For "this" substitute "the said".

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Robinson:—

Of the Central Finance Corporation.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (42), intituled: "An Act respecting Relief Measures."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Gillis, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (M), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Race meetings)," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fourteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lucy Doris Cannon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventeenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of William James Thistle, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lily Archer Watson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lois Theresa Malcolm," was, on division, read the second time and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucy Doris Cannon."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William James Thistle."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (2), intituled: "An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act, 1928."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Friday, 20th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Friday, 20th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government as follows:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?
2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?
3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?
4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934? If so, why?
5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?
6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?
7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?
8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?
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No. 28

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 20th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Moraud,
Aylesworth	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Foster,	Little,	Murphy,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Logan,	Parent,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,
Beaubien,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Bénard,	Green,	Macdonald,	Rankin,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Blondin,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Burns,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Smith,
Calder,	Hughes,	McMeans,	Spence,
Casgrain,	King,	McRae,	Tanner,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Coté,	Laird,	Michener,	Tobin,
Dennis,	Lemieux,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Deputy Assistant Secretary to the Governor General. The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 20th April, 1934.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Right Honourable Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to-day at 5 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Deputy Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (40), intituled: "An Act to amend the Live Stock and Live Stock Products Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (38), intituled: "An Act to amend the Dairy Industry Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (39), intituled: "An Act to amend the Destructive Insect and Pest Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

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Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lily Archer Watson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

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The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lois Theresa Malcolm," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration in a Committee of the Whole of the Bill (26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Right Honourable Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of Canada, Deputy Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act for the relief of Gertrude Ethel Mosgrove Roast.

An Act for the relief of Clara Dingman Freeman.

An Act for the relief of Marguerite Pearl Hopper.

An Act for the relief of Sadye Harris Rosenberg.

An Act for the relief of Eva Brabant Paradis.

An Act for the relief of Williamina Muir Briggs.

An Act respecting Prudential Trust Company, Limited.

An Act to ratify and confirm an agreement respecting the joint use by His Majesty and the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway of certain tracks and premises of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Quebec.

An Act respecting Relief Measures.

An Act to amend the Criminal Code (Race meetings).

An Act to amend the Precious Metals Marking Act, 1928.

An Act to amend the Dairy Industry Act.

An Act to amend the Destructive Insect and Pest Act.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

After which the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate was resumed.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 24th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

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INQUIRIES

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3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?

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6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?

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11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?

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No. 29

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 24th April, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Murphy,
Barnard,	Foster,	Little,	Parent,
Beaubien,	Fripp,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,
Bénard,	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Black,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Blondin,	Green,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Brown,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Buchanan,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Burns,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Chapais,	Hughes,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Copp,	King,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Michener,	Tobin,
Dandurand,	Laird,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Dennis,	Lemieux,	Moraud,	Webster,
Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of Central Finance Corporation; praying for the passing of an Act amending its Act of incorporation by adding to its corporate name the name of "Corporation Centrale de Finance," and for other purposes.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their nineteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 13th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their nineteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, clerk, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Shahda Koudsy, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that out of the balance remaining of the Parliamentary fees, the sum of \$110 be refunded to the petitioner.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twentieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 20th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twentieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Richard Douglas Zavitz, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 20th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Douglas Kelly, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 20th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Esther Liverman Kazenel, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel Joshua Kazenel, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 20th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-third Report, as follows:—

1. The Committee recommend that the time limited for receiving petitions for Bills of Divorce be extended to Tuesday, 1st May, 1934.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucy Doris Cannon," was, on division, read the second time, and—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee," was, on division, read the second time, and—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke," was, on division, read the second time, and—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William James Thistle," was, on division, read the second time, and—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (40), intituled: "An Act to amend the Live Stock and Live Stock Products Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration in a Committee of the Whole of the Bill (26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932."

The said amendments were concurred in.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the said Bill be now read a third time.

In amendment, it was moved by the Honourable Senator Beaubien, that the Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be amended, as follows:—

Page 2, line 3. Insert immediately after clause 2 the following as new clause "B":—

New Clause "B"

Subsection two of section three of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"(2) The provisions of Part II, other than *the provisions* of section five, shall also apply to every company incorporated by a special Act of the said Parliament on or before the said date, but not licensed by the Minister on or before the said date, and in any respect in which the provisions of said Part II are inconsistent with the provisions of the special Act so passed on or before the said date, the provisions of Part II shall prevail."

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, as amended—

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

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Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 25th April, 1934

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INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 25th April, 1934

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For Thursday, 26th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

24th April—1. How many French translators are presently at work on the Senate Hansard debates staff?

2. Is the Government aware that practically no distribution of the French Senate Debates has been made since the beginning of the session?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

24th April—1. Is a Canadian who has investments in United States in bonds or stocks, who has paid the Canadian Government his income tax on such investments, liable also to pay this tax to the United States Government for the same thing?

2. Has the Canadian Government a reciprocal arrangement with the United States Government, to protect Canadians from paying twice for the same investments?

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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No. 7.

24th April—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 8.

24th April—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Third Reading (Bill F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932."—(Honourable Senator Foster.)

No. 9.

24th April—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

For Thursday, 26th April, 1934**No. 1.**

24th April—Consideration of the nineteenth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Aziz Koupsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coupsy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

24th April—Consideration of the twentieth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

24th April—Consideration of the twenty-first report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

24th April—Consideration of the twenty-second report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Esther Liverman Kazanel, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 30

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 25th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Murphy,
Barnard,	Foster,	Little,	Parent,
Beaubien,	Fripp,	Lynch-Staunton,	Pope,
Bénard,	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Prevost,
Black,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
Blondin,	Green,	Macdonell,	Rankin,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Brown,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Schaffner,
Burns,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Calder,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Chapais,	Hughes,	McRae,	Taylor,
Copp,	King,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Dandurand,	Laird,	Molloy,	Webster,
Dennis,	Lemieux,	Morand,	White (Inkerman),
Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Edward Headley Acland, of Montreal, Quebec, salesman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Dorothea Margaret Chalmers Acland.

Of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Christopher Herbert Evelyn Ellis.

Of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Fonsbee Moxon.

Of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robin Byan Lewes Hanson.

Of Austin Eugene Stansfield, of Montreal, Quebec, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Laura Lougheed Stansfield.

Of Hilda High de Boissière, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Vernon de Boissière.

Of George Harold Allen, of Montreal, Quebec, assistant purchasing agent; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjorie Nelson Allen.

Of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Kilgour Black Adamson.

Of Williamina Muir Briggs, of Montreal, Quebec, bookkeeper; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

Of Annie Rosner, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Solomon Rosner.

Of Naomi Willard Robertson, of Westmount, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Morris Henry Robertson.

Of Violet Charlotte Dyke Duiven, of Montreal, Quebec, bookkeeper; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Claas Duiven.

The Honourable the Chairman, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 20th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-fourth Report, as follows:—

With respect to the petition of Williamina Muir Briggs, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The Committee recommend that the prayer of the petition be not granted.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Tanner, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented the following Report:—

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 25th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (10 from the House of Commons), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent owned by The Firth-Brearley Stainless Steel Syndicate Limited," have in obedience to the order of reference of 15th March, 1934, examined the said Bill, and now beg leave to report thereon, as follows:—

1. Your Committee find that the preamble of the said Bill has not been proven to their satisfaction.

2. Your Committee have arrived at this decision on the ground that the passage of the said Bill would not be in the public interest.

All which is respectfully submitted.

CHAS. E. TANNER,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration tomorrow.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the Bill (40), intituled: "An Act to amend the Live Stock and Live Stock Products Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Tanner, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Dennis called the attention of the Senate to the immense possibilities of the tourist trade, and inquired if it is possible for the Government to secure the co-operation of the provincial authorities and transportation interests towards its greater development.

Debated.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow, and that it be the first Order.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure, and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey."

(In the Committee)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

Clause 1 was read and postponed.

Clause 2 was read and agreed to.

Clause 3 was read and amended, as follows:—

Page 3, line 1. After the word "prescribe" insert the words "subject to approval of the Governor in Council."

The said Clause, as amended, was agreed to.

Clauses 4 to 35, both inclusive, were read and agreed to.

Title to Part III was read and amended, as follows:—

After the words "GRADING, INSPECTION AND ASSEMBLING OF HONEY FOR EXPORT" add the words "AND INTERPROVINCIAL TRADE."

The said title, as amended, was agreed to.

Clauses 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 42 were read and amended as follows:—

Insert after the word "export", wherever it appears in the said clauses, the words "and interprovincial trade".

The said clauses, as amended, were agreed to.

Clause 37 was again read and further amended, as follows:—

Page 9, line 44. After the word "prescribe" insert the words "subject to approval of the Governor in Council,".

Clause 37, as further amended, was agreed to.

Clause 1 was again read and agreed to.

Preamble again read and agreed to.

Title again read and agreed to.

After some time, the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator McLennan, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk.

The said amendments were concurred in.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

In amendment, it was moved by the Honourable Senator Sinclair that the Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be further amended as follows:—

Page 2, line 1. After the word "Minister" insert the words "subject to approval of the Governor in Council."

Page 8, line 1. After the word "Minister" insert the words "subject to approval of the Governor in Council."

Page 8, line 33. After the word "Minister" insert the words "subject to approval of the Governor in Council."

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the said Bill, as amended,

In amendment, it was moved by the Honourable Senator Donnelly that the Bill be further amended by striking out the amending words "subject to approval of the Governor in Council" inserted, in Committee of the Whole, in Clause 3, page 3, line 1; and also in Clause 37, page 9, line 44.

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the said Bill, as amended, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence,

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for the third reading of the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act," as amended, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 26th April, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 26th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government as follows:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?

2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?

3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?

4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934? If so, why?

5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?

6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?

7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?

8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?

9. Has the Government any definite policy as to the development of commercial aviation in Canada? If so, what is it?

10. Is it the policy of the Government to operate air services in Canada as a Government undertaking or is the Government encouraging private enterprises along this line?

11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?

12. Could this work have been carried out by commercial operators? If so, why were commercial operators not used?

13. How much air mail flying was carried out by the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 over a regular route and what was the cost of the same? Why was not this work done by commercial operators?

14. Would an independent committee made up in part of active commercial operators be of value to the country to investigate the aviation industry as a whole in Canada and bring in a recommendation to the Government?

15. To what extent has the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals taken over the radio service previously maintained by commercial Air Transport Firms in the Northwest Territories?

16. Are any extensions of this policy contemplated in the near future?

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

24th April—1. How many French translators are presently at work on the Senate Hansard debates staff?

2. Is the Government aware that practically no distribution of the French Senate Debates has been made since the beginning of the session?

MOTION

For Thursday, 26th April, 1934

No. 1.

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

25th April—That he will move:—

That a Special Committee of six senators be appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic, to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, and to report to this House.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 26th April, 1934

No. 1.

25th April—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 2.

25th April—Third Reading (Bill 40), intituled: "An Act to amend the Live Stock and Live Stock Products Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

25th April—Third Reading (Bill 9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 4.

25th April—Consideration of the report of the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.—(Honourable Senator Tanner.)

No. 5.

24th April—Third Reading (Bill S), "An Act for the relief of Lucy Doris Cannon."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

24th April—Third Reading (Bill T), "An Act for the relief of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

24th April—Third Reading (Bill U), "An Act for the relief of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 8.

24th April—Third Reading (Bill V), "An Act for the relief of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 9.

24th April—Third Reading (Bill W), "An Act for the relief of William James Thistle."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 10.

24th April—Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Third Reading (Bill F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932."—(Honourable Senator Foster.)

No. 11.

24th April—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 31

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 26th April, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fripp,	Little,	Murphy,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Parent,
Beaubien,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Pope,
Bénard,	Green,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Rainville,
Blondin,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Rankin,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Riley,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Schaffner,
Burns,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Sharpe,
Calder,	Hughes,	McMeans,	Sinclair,
Copp,	King,	McRae,	Tanner,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Dandurand,	Laird,	Michener,	Tobin,
Donnelly,	Lemieux,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Fauteux,	L'Espérance,	Moraud,	Webster,
Foster,	Lewis,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 26th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that the plan of organization of the Senate be amended by adding the following Class Titles:—

20 (a) Head Translator—Debates.

20 (b) Parliamentary Translator—Debates.

20 (c) Parliamentary Translator—Debates.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Robinson, from the Special Committee on Public Accounts of Canada, etc., presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 12th April, 1934.

The Special Committee appointed to take into consideration and report from time to time upon the Public Accounts of Canada, etc., beg leave to present their second Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend that they be authorized to print from time to time 600 copies of the proceedings of the Committee if in the opinion of the Committee such printing is advisable, and that Rule 100 be suspended in so far as it relates to such printing.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That a Special Committee of six senators be appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic, to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, and to report to this House, and that the said Committee be composed of the Honourable Senators Buchanan, Dennis, Foster, Green, Hocken and Parent.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the nineteenth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twentieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Esther Liverman Kazepel, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That No. 10 of the Orders of the Day be now proceeded with.

Accordingly, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the third reading of the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act."

After further debate,

The Honourable Senator Foster moved that the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that Clause 34 of the Bill be amended, as follows:—

Page 10, lines 7 and 8. Strike out the words "other than a member of Lloyd's,".

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—

Passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons, and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Senate reverted to Order No. 1.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next, and that it be the first Order.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (40), intituled: "An Act to amend the Live Stock and Live Stock Products Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (9), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (10), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent owned by The Firth-Brearley Stainless Steel Syndicate, Limited."

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucy Doris Cannon," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William James Thistle," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Esther Liverman Kazenel."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening (Daylight Saving time).

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 1st May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 1st May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

12th April—That he will inquire of the Government as follows:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?
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3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?
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ORDERS OF THE DAY

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26th April—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 2.

26th April—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

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No. 5.

26th April—Second Reading (Bill Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

26th April—Second Reading (Bill A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Esther Liverman Kazenel."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 32

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 1st May, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Barnard,	Green,	Macdonald,	Raymond,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Bénard,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Black,	Hatfield,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Blondin,	Hocken,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Bourque,	Horsey,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Brown,	Hughes,	McLennan,	Spence,
Burns,	King,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Calder,	Lacasse,	McRae,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Laird,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Lemieux,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Moraud,	Webster,
Coté,	Lewis,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	Little,	Murphy,	White (Pembroke),
Fripp,	Logan,	Pope,	Wilson
			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Paul Herbert Addy, of the town of Montreal West, Quebec, insurance agent; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Bettie O'Hagan Addy.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 27th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb, of the town of Brockville, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William Clifton Robb, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 27th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Doris Jones Earp, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry James Earp, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 27th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Christopher Herbert Evelyn Ellis, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 27th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Fonsbee Moxon, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 27th April, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Irene Probert, presently residing at the village of Georgeville, in the county of Stanstead, in the province of

Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Willie Salls Probert, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

On motion of the Honourable Senator McDonald, it was—

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

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?

2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?

3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?

4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934? If so, why?

5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?

6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?

7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?

8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?

9. Has the Government any definite policy as to the development of commercial aviation in Canada? If so, what is it?

10. Is it the policy of the Government to operate air services in Canada as a Government undertaking or is the Government encouraging private enterprises along this line?

11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?

12. Could this work have been carried out by commercial operators? If so, why were commercial operators not used?

13. How much air mail flying was carried out by the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 over a regular route and what was the cost of the same? Why was not this work done by commercial operators?

14. Would an independent committee made up in part of active commercial operators be of value to the country to investigate the aviation industry as a whole in Canada and bring in a recommendation to the Government?

15. To what extent has the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals taken over the radio service previously maintained by commercial Air Transport Firms in the Northwest Territories?

16. Are any extensions of this policy contemplated in the near future?

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (27), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (29), intituled: "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Esther Liverman Kazenel," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 2nd May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRY

For Thursday, 3rd May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

1st May—1. What were the total exports from Canada to France during the last fiscal year?

2. What were the total imports from France to Canada during the same period?

MOTION

For Thursday, 3rd May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

1st May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 2nd May, 1934

No. 1.

1st May—Third Reading (Bill X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

1st May—Third Reading (Bill Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

1st May—Third Reading (Bill Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

1st May—Third Reading (Bill A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Esther Liverman Kazenel."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

1st May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator McLennan.)

No. 6.

1st May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 7.

1st May—Second Reading (Bill 27), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company."—(Honourable Senator White (Pembroke).)

No. 8.

1st May—Second Reading (Bill 29), intituled: "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company."—(Honourable Senator Aseltine.)

No. 9.

1st May—Consideration of the twenty-fifth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 10.

1st May—Consideration of the twenty-sixth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Doris Jones Earp, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 11.

1st May—Consideration of the twenty-seventh report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 12.

1st May—Consideration of the twenty-eighth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 13.

1st May—Consideration of the twenty-ninth report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Irene Probert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 33

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 2nd May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Gillis,	Logan,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Graham,	Lynch-Staunton,	Rainville,
Barnard,	Green,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	Macdonald,	Raymond,
Bénard,	Hardy,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Black,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Hatfield,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Bourque,	Hocken,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Brown,	Horner,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Burns,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Spence,
Calder,	Hughes,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Chapais,	King,	McRae,	Taylor,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Coté,	Laird,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Moraud,	Webster,
Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Fauteux,	Lewis,	Murphy,	White (Pembroke),
Fripp,	Little,	Pope,	Wilson
			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 17th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?
2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?
3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?
4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?
5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?
6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Esther Liverman Kazenel," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (27), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (29), intituled: "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Doris Jones Earp, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ethel Irene Probert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Jones Earp."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Irene Probert."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That the names of the Honourable Senators Horner and MacArthur be added to the list of Members of the Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic, to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, and to report to the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 8th May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRY

For Tuesday, 8th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

1st May—1. What were the total exports from Canada to France during the last fiscal year?

2. What were the total imports from France to Canada during the same period?

MOTION

For Tuesday, 8th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

1st May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 8th May, 1934

No. 1.

2nd May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

No. 2.

2nd May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

2nd May—Second Reading (Bill B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

2nd May—Second Reading (Bill C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Jones Earp."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

2nd May—Second Reading (Bill D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

2nd May—Second Reading (Bill E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

2nd May—Second Reading (Bill F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Irene Probert."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 34

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 8th May, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth (Sir Allen),	Donnelly,	Lemieux,	Murphy,
Ballantyne,	Fauteux,	L'Espérance,	Parent,
Barnard,	Foster,	Lewis,	Prevost,
Beaubien,	Fripp,	Little,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Riley,
Black,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Green,	Macdonell,	Schaffner,
Brown,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Buchanan,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Spence,
Burns,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Horner,	McMeans,	Turgeon,
Copp,	Hughes,	McRae,	Webster,
Coté,	King,	Meighen,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	Lacasse,	Michener,	White (Pembroke),
Dennis,	Laird,	Murdock,	Wilson (Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Dennis, from the Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic and to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 8th May, 1934.

The Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic and to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, beg leave to present their first Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That their quorum be reduced to four (4) members.
2. That they be authorized to send for persons, papers and records.
3. That they be authorized to print from time to time 1,000 copies of the proceedings of the Committee, and that Rule 100 be suspended in so far as it relates to the said printing.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. DENNIS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (37), intituled: "An Act to amend the Bills of Exchange Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (54), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act (Special Tax)," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (55), intituled: "An Act to provide for the deduction from compensation in the Public Service," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (57), intituled: "An Act to amend the Oaths of Allegiance Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Report of George A. Touche & Company, Chartered Accountants, dated 15th March, 1934, on their audit of the financial accounts of the Canadian National Railway System for the year ended 31st December, 1933, under the provisions of Sections 13 and 15, Chapter 33, of the Canadian National-Canadian Pacific Act, 1933. (English and French.)

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 20th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The total indebtedness of the ports of Montreal and Quebec, respectively, under management of the Harbour Commissioners.

(a) The amount spent by such authorities, respectively, on improvements, upkeep, maintenance, overhead and borrowing charges during the last ten years.

(b) If any of these capital charges have been liquidated—how much, by whom and when?

(c) If interest charges have not been paid in full, how much has been unpaid in respect to each port and if the Dominion Government paid any portion of such interest charges, how much did the Government pay in respect to each port?

2. The number of grain elevators between the head of the Lakes, to and including the City of Quebec, owned respectively by the Dominion Government, Harbour Commissioners or subsidized by the Dominion Government.

(a) The name and description of each such elevator and the cost, expense of annual maintenance, upkeep and overhead.

3. The total expenditure from all sources for dredging reclaiming works on the St. Lawrence River between the eastern end of the Lachine Canal, Montreal, to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.

(a) The amount supposed to be expended for the year 1934 by all Government Departments for dredging on the St. Lawrence River from Lake Ontario to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.

(b) The number and value of dredges with auxiliaries owned or operated under Dominion Government control.

(c) The annual cost of maintenance, upkeep, operation and repair of such dredges during each of the last ten years.

4. The number and value of ice-breaking vessels operated by the Dominion Government between the head of the Lakes and Sydney, N.S.

(a) The approximate cost of operating, maintenance, upkeep and repair of such vessels during each of the last ten years.

5. The number of vessels, including ice-breakers, operated between Lake Ontario to and including the Lower St. Lawrence between October and Decem-

ber 31, 1933, for the purpose of keeping the ports of the St. Lawrence River open for navigation, looking after aids to navigation and other services.

- (a) The total cost for the above period.
- (b) Whether the Dominion Government paid the whole of such cost. If not, how much of it did the Government pay?
- (c) Whether shipping contributed to the cost of such services and, if so, how much?

6. The number of shipping accidents on the St. Lawrence River during the fiscal year 1933-34.

- (a) The number of such accidents which were major casualties.
- (b) The number of ocean and coasting vessels ready to proceed to sea that failed by reason of weather conditions to depart from the St. Lawrence River.
- (c) The number of such vessels still in Canada.

7. The approximate value of lighthouses, lightships and other aids to navigation including radio aids and buoy boats, but not including dredges and ice-breakers on the St. Lawrence.

- (a) The cost of operating, maintaining and upkeep generally of the above during the last ten years.

8. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Churchill in 1933.

9. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Montreal in 1933.

10. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Fort William in 1933.

11. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Fort William to Montreal in 1933.

12. The water rate charges on wheat per bushel via St. Lawrence Waterways to Montreal from Fort William between 1923 and 1934.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Jones Earp," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Irene Probert," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 9th May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRY

For Friday, 11th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

MOTION

For Wednesday, 9th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 9th May, 1934

No. 1.

8th May—Third Reading (Bill B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

8th May—Third Reading (Bill C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Jones Earp."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

8th May—Third Reading (Bill D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

8th May—Third Reading (Bill E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

8th May—Third Reading (Bill F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Irene Probert."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

8th May—Second Reading (Bill 37), intituled: "An Act to amend the Bills of Exchange Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 7.

8th May—Second Reading (Bill 54), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act (Special Tax)."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 8.

8th May—Second Reading (Bill 55), intituled: "An Act to provide for the deduction from compensation in the Public Service."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 9.

8th May—Second Reading (Bill 57), intituled: "An Act to amend the Oaths of Allegiance Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 10.

8th May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Lacasse.)

No. 11.

8th May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 35

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 9th May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Parent,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	Lewis,	Pope,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Little,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Fripp,	Logan,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Black,	Green,	Macdonell,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Brown,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Spence,
Burns,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Horner,	McMeans,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Hughes,	McRae,	Turgeon,
Copp,	King,	Meighen,	Webster,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Michener,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Dennis,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	Wilson
			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Dennis, from the Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic and to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 9th May, 1934.

The Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic and to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, beg leave to present their second Report, as follows:—

1. The Committee recommend that they be authorized to meet during sittings of the Senate.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. DENNIS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 9th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to present their ninth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petition and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of Central Finance Corporation; praying for the passing of an Act amending its Act of incorporation by adding to its corporate name the name of "Corporation Centrale de Finance," and for other purposes.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their tenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 9th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to present their tenth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That the time limited for receiving petitions for Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 8th June, 1934.

2. That the time limited for presenting Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 22nd June, 1934.

3. That the time limited for receiving Reports of any Standing or Special Committee on a Private Bill be extended to Friday, the 29th June, 1934.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (29), intituled: "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Tanner, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (27), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk as follows:—

1. Page 4, line 6. For "both" substitute "all".
2. Page 4, line 14. For "either" substitute "any".
3. Page 4, line 25. For "either" substitute "any".
4. Page 6. Add the following as sub-clause (2) of clause 17:—

"(2) The construction of the said bridges shall not be commenced unless and until the Company has satisfied the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada that it is financially capable of carrying out and completing the whole of the work in accordance with the plans approved by the Governor in Council."

5. Pages 6 and 7. Leave out sub-clause (2) of clause 18 and substitute therefor the following:—

"(2) When the corporate obligations and stock of the Company and of any of the companies or authorities mentioned in sections fifteen and sixteen of this Act, with which this Company has united or become amalgamated, have been retired in the manner prescribed in their by-laws, then the said bridges and the approaches thereto and all appurtenant structures, property, property rights and franchises, so far as the same are located in the United States of America, shall be conveyed without cost or expense, by the said Company, its successors and assigns, to the State of New York or as the Legislature of the said State may designate; and all of the said bridges and approaches thereto and all appurtenant structures, property, property rights and franchises located within the Dominion of Canada, shall be conveyed without cost or expense to the Province of Ontario or otherwise as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council thereof may designate, and all rights, title and interest of said Company, its successors and assigns therein, or in any of such works in the Dominion of Canada shall then cease and determine."

6. Page 7. Add the following as sub-clause (3) of clause 20:—

“(3) Canadian materials, in so far as available in Canada, shall be used in the construction of the Canadian Bridge.”

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That the Senate resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole, presently, on the consideration of the said amendments.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the consideration of the said amendments.

(In the Committee)

Amendments numbers 1, 2 and 3 were read and agreed to.

Amendment number 4 was read and struck out.

Amendments numbers 5 and 6 were read and agreed to.

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator McLennan, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said amendments into consideration, and had directed him to report concurrence in the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 5th and 6th amendments and disapproval of the 4th amendment.

The report from the said Committee was concurred in.

The Honourable Senator White (Pembroke) moved that the Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

In amendment, the Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be referred back to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills with instructions to reconsider the financial features of the measure.

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered accordingly.

The Honourable Senator Robinson presented to the Senate a Bill (G2), intituled: “An Act to amend an Act to incorporate Central Finance Corporation and amending Acts.”

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

THURSDAY, 3rd May, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House disagrees to their 1st, 2nd and 5th amendments to the Bill No. 26, An Act respecting Fruit and Honey, for the following reasons:—

“Inasmuch as the clauses amended are identical with clauses in the following Acts passed—

The Seed Act

The Root and Vegetables Act

and it is essential that there be uniformity in such legislation.”

And agrees to the 3rd, 4th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th of their amendments, without any amendment.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration on Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Jones Earp," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Irene Probert," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (37), intituled: "An Act to amend the Bills of Exchange Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (54), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act (Special Tax)," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (55), intituled: "An Act to provide for the deduction from compensation in the Public Service," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (57), intituled: "An Act to amend the Oaths of Allegiance Act," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until Tuesday, next.

* The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Wednesday, the twenty-third day of May, instant.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Friday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Friday, 11th May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Friday, 11th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

MOTION

For Friday, 11th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Friday, 11th May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Third Reading (Bill 29), intituled: "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company."—(Honourable Senator Aseltine.)

No. 2.

9th May—Second Reading (Bill G2), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate Central Finance Corporation and Amending Acts."—(Honourable Senator Robinson.)

No. 3.

9th May—Consideration of a Message from the House of Commons with regard to amendments to the (Bill 26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

For Tuesday, 15th May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

For Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 36

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 11th May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Fauteux,	L'Espérance,	Parent,
(Sir Allen),	Foster,	Lewis,	Pope,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Little,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Logan,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Bénard,	Green,	Maedonald,	Riley,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Brown,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Buchanan,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Spence,
Burns,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Calder,	Horner,	McLennan,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	McMeans,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Hughes,	McRae,	Turgeon,
Copp,	King,	Meighen,	Webster,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Michener,	White (Inkerman),
Dandurand,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Dennis,	Lemieux,	Murphy,	Wilson
Donnelly,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Coté:—

Of John Hutton Riddel and others (Security National Insurance Company).

The Honourable Senator Tanner, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred back the Bill (27), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company," reported that they had, pursuant to the Order of the Senate, reconsidered the financial features of the Bill, and had directed him to report the same, with an additional amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 6, line 27. Add the following as sub-clause (2) of clause 17:—

"(2) The Company shall not commence its operations or incur any liability before a sum of at least fifty thousand dollars has been paid into the treasury of the Dominion of Canada, which sum shall not be withdrawn until the proposed bridges, together with their approaches, buildings and all other assets used in connection therewith are constructed, and such sum shall be forfeited to His Majesty if such project is not completed."

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (29), intituled: "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate Central Finance Corporation and amending Acts," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Message from the House of Commons, disagreeing to the 1st, 2nd and 5th amendments made by the Senate to the Bill (26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey."

On motion, it was—

Resolved,—That the Senate do not insist upon their first, second and fifth amendments made to the Bill (26), intituled: "An Act respecting Fruit and Honey," to which the House of Commons have disagreed.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons accordingly.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 15th May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

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Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 15th May, 1934

No. 1.

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8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

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MOTION

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8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 15th May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Beaubien.)

For Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 37

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 15th May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	Lewis,	Moraud,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Little,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Logan,	Murphy,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Planta,
Barnard,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Beaubien,	Green,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Schaffner,
Black,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Spence,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Tanner,
Burns,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Taylor,
Calder,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	McMeans,	Turgeon,
Copp,	King,	McRae,	Webster,
Coté,	Laird,	Meighen,	White (Pembroke),
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Michener,	Wilson
			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented the thirtieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 11th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirtieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel John Johnson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirt-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 11th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, office clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robin Byan Lewes Hanson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration on Thursday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lily Archer Watson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lois Theresa Malcolm."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucy Doris Cannon."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William James Thistle."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 11th May, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart, Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid, Lily Archer Watson, Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum, Lois Theresa Malcolm, Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee, Sybil Eileen Dyson Richard-

son, Lucy Doris Cannon, Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke, and William James Thistle, respectively praying for Bills of Divorce; and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (82), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

The question being put for the second reading of the Bill, it was—

Ordered, That the second reading of the Bill be deferred until a later stage of the sitting.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (27), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate, without any amendment.

Pursuant to Order of the Senate—

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill (82), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935," be now read a second time.

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 16th May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 16th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

MOTION

For Wednesday, 16th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 16th May, 1934

No. 1.

15th May—Third Reading (Bill 82), intituled: “An Act for the granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

15th May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: “That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.”—(Honourable Senator Casgrain.)

For Thursday, 17th May, 1934

No. 1.

15th May—Consideration of the thirtieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

15th May—Consideration of the thirty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

For Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: “An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 38

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 16th May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Planta,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	Little,	Prevost,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Logan,	Rankin,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Lynch-Staunton,	Raymond,
Beaubien,	Graham,	MacArthur,	Riley,
Bénard,	Green,	Macdonald,	Schaffner,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonell,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Spence,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McCormick,	Tanner,
Brown,	Hocken,	McGuire,	Taylor,
Burns,	Horner,	McLennan,	Tobin,
Calder,	Horsey,	McMeans,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	McRae,	Webster,
Chapais,	King,	Meighen,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Lacasse,	Michener,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Laird,	Moraud,	Wilson
Dandurand,	Lemieux,	Murdock,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of John Hutton Riddel and others, of Toronto, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Security National Insurance Company."

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 11th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Fenwick William Smith, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, bank inspector, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Phyllis Llewellyn Millard Smith, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Deputy Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 16th May, 1934.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Right Honourable Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of Canada, as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to-day at 5 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,
Deputy Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (82), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

* After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be deferred until a later stage of the sitting.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (37), intituled: "An Act to amend the Bills of Exchange Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Right Honourable Sir Lyman P. Duff, Chief Justice of Canada, Deputy Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act to amend the Live Stock and Live Stock Products Act.

An Act to incorporate The Bishop of the Arctic of the Church of England in Canada.

An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act (Special Tax).

An Act to provide for the deduction from compensation in the Public Service.

An Act to amend the Oaths of Allegiance Act.

An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company.

An Act respecting Fruit and Honey.

An Act for the relief of Archibald Bruce Elliott Smart.

An Act for the relief of Lilac Violet Grumbell Reid.

An Act for the relief of Lily Archer Watson.

An Act for the relief of Annie Isabel Tinning Meldrum.

An Act for the relief of Lois Theresa Malcolm.

An Act for the relief of Helen Isabelle Smith Maybee.

An Act for the relief of Sybil Eileen Dyson Richardson.

An Act for the relief of Lucy Doris Cannon.

An Act for the relief of Bertha Alice Maude Maher Burke.

An Act for the relief of William James Thistle.

An Act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company.

An Act to amend the Bills of Exchange Act.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills.”

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

“The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:—

“An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935.

“To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour’s assent.”

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill.

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill.”

After which the Right Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate was resumed.

Pursuant to Order of the Senate, the Honourable Senator Hughes resumed the debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 22nd May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 22nd May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

MOTION

For Tuesday, 22nd May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 22nd May, 1934

No. 1.

16th May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: “That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league.”—(Honourable Senator Chapais.)

No. 2.

15th May—Consideration of the thirtieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

15th May—Consideration of the thirty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

16th May—Consideration of the thirty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Fenwick William Smith, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

For Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: “An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 39

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 22nd May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	Lynch-Staunton,	Prevost,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Rankin,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Graham,	Macdonell,	Schaffner,
Black,	Green,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Smith,
Bourque,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Spence,
Brown,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McLennan,	Taylor,
Burns,	Horsey,	McMeans,	Tobin,
Chapais,	King,	Meighen,	Turgeon,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Michener,	Webster,
Dandurand,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Dennis,	Lewis,	Parent,	White (Pembroke),
			Wilson (Sorel).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 22nd May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That Norman McL. Wood, Chief Parliamentary Messenger, be appointed Acting Chief of Stationery Division.

2. That Abraham Dallaire, Assistant Chief Parliamentary Messenger, be appointed Acting Chief Parliamentary Messenger.

3. That Robert Brown, Messenger, be appointed Acting Assistant Chief Parliamentary Messenger.

4. That the title of the position "Mace Bearer and Assistant to Black Rod" be amended by striking out "Assistant to Black Rod," and substituting therefor "Yeoman Usher of the Black Rod," and that the plan of organization be amended accordingly.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 22nd May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have audited the accounts and vouchers of the Clerk of the Senate for the fiscal year 1932-33 and found them correct.

Your Committee have also examined the accounts of the Senate for the period April 1st to 31st December, 1933, and have found them correct.

A statement in detail of the accounts for the fiscal year 1932-33 is submitted herewith.

Statement of Expenditures, 1932-33

Speaker's salary	\$	5,400	00
Indemnity and Transportation—Statutory		544,550	95
Indemnity—Special Vote		7,200	00
Second Transportation—Special Vote		4,974	70
Salaries of Officials	\$	70,861	50
Doormen and Sessional Messengers		30,805	76
Char services		22,937	52
Sessional Stenographers and extra Clerks		12,056	40
Pages		2,001	65
Newspapers and Publications for Reading Room		1,452	07
Stationery Office supplies		6,640	78

Debates—King's Printer's Accounts..	13,183 09	
Postage and Carriage of Mails..	804 61	
Private Secretary to Speaker of the Senate.. . . .	540 00	
Private Secretary to the Leader of the Government in the Senate..	540 00	
Private Secretary to the Leader of the Liberal Party in the Senate..	262 75	
Beauharnois Committee expenditure..	14,002 16	
General expenses..	7,080 27	
Allowance in lieu of residence to the Speaker of the Senate..	2,000 00	
		\$ 185,168 56
		\$ 747,294 21

Statement of Receipts, 1932-33

Fees on Certified Copies..	\$ 242 97
Fees on Private Bills..	5,312 50
Deposited to the credit of the Receiver General.. . . .	5,555 47
Fees returned and sundry charges on Revenue..	1,486 12
Net Revenue..	\$ 4,069 35

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Dennis, from the Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic and to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 22nd May, 1934.

The Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic and to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion, beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

In the course of several meetings held by the Committee the following witnesses were heard and examined by the Committee, the names being in alphabetical order and the pages where their evidence may be found being set out after their respective names:—

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As a result of its survey and investigation, and the unanimity of the evidence and submissions received, your Committee has come definitely to these conclusions:—

1. That the Tourist Trade of Canada is capable of great expansion.
2. That this is a matter of national concern, in the interests of the Dominion as a whole.
3. That there is need for the establishment, at as early a date as possible, of a central organization at Ottawa to co-ordinate the activities of the multitude of tourist agencies, public and private, throughout the Provinces, as well as the work of those Federal Departments and Services interested in the promotion of tourist travel within and to Canada.

Such an organization, your Committee suggests, might be named "The Canadian Travel Bureau"—to be a branch of the appropriate Department of Government, with a Director at its head; together with an Advisory Council to the Bureau made up as follows:—

The Directors of Information of all the Provincial Governments;

Representatives of Federal Departments and Services interested in the promotion of the Tourist Trade, and the members of the Executive Committee of the Canadian Association of Tourist and Publicity Bureaus.

Also, to supplement the work of the proposed Bureau and Advisory Council, a Standing Committee of this House (representative of all the Provinces) could render valuable aid, meeting from time to time during each year, and considering ways and means for expansion of the Canadian Tourist Trade. Such a Committee would keep Parliament in direct contact with this work, and the members

of the Committee could render useful service in their respective Provinces, not through an interest in tourist travel publicity alone, but in movements to make the country and its equipment more attractive to visitors.

Your Committee heard evidence to indicate a considerable over-lapping and duplication in the activities of the various Departments of the Dominion Service, as well as of Provincial and private agencies, in the dissemination of publicity, and has come to the conclusion that through a co-ordination of efforts, such as is proposed, a substantial saving in time, money and energy could be effected—thus producing present results with greater economy, and enlarged results in proportion to the additional expenditure of funds and endeavor. But, in whatever action the Dominion Government and Parliament may take, in line with this report, it should be clearly understood that it is of a national character, in addition to the expenditures being made and proposed by the existing agencies, and intended to supplement and not to supplant what already is being done.

Estimates prepared by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics show that in the "peak" year (1929) Canada's tourist trade had a value of \$309,379,000. By 1933 this figure had shrunk to \$117,124,000.

It has been urged before the committee (and here the unanimity of expert witnesses has been striking) that \$500,000,000 in revenue from tourists might well be set as the objective of a progressive permanent program of Canadian tourist trade promotion—provided an immediate start is made.

There is also expert testimony that results have been in direct proportion to the amount and character of tourist publicity employed.

A careful weighing of the evidence placed before it has convinced your committee of the need for a early action at the present session of Parliament to launch a program of tourist trade promotion from a broad national standpoint.

Mindful, as it is, of the condition of the public finances, the Committee nevertheless believes that a reasonable appropriation at the present session would be an excellent investment applied to what might be termed an "emergency" campaign to publicize the tourist attractions of Canada within and outside the Dominion. It is the conclusion of the committee's deliberations that \$150,000 is to be regarded as the minimum amount required for this work during the calendar year 1934 and the first three months of 1935 which will elapse before the close of the present fiscal year. The "emergency" campaign of publicity, to be effective, should begin not later than June 15th, and should be conducted with unusual vigour. It is apparent that the heavy falling off in the Canadian tourist trade has created a condition of emergency, and that aggressive efforts to regain what has been lost, and in time to increase tourist revenues above the 1929 figure, should now be organized as suggested.

As but one example of the importance of the tourist trade to the entire population, your Committee has before it evidence showing that approximately 65 per cent of expenditures by tourists are for products of the farm. Than this, nothing could serve more emphatically to emphasize the national character of this trade, and the vital need for prompt and effective action in its development.

Evidence submitted to your Committee shows that a total of \$22,703,724 has been expended by the Dominion Government on the establishment and maintenance of National Parks within Canada. While your Committee is of

the opinion that this expenditure has been desirable and is to be commended, it feels called upon to note these facts:—

- (a) The establishment of these National Parks has been concentrated almost exclusively in one part of the Dominion—Quebec and the Maritime Provinces having no similar National Parks under Dominion authority; and
- (b) Having established these National Parks, we have failed adequately to advertise their attractions to the people of Canada and the outside world.

Your Committee agrees with the strong representations of witnesses that the establishment of National Parks by the Dominion authority should now be extended, as a truly national policy, to embrace all the provinces; and that these ideal settings for the scenic and historic attractions of Canada justify greater and more effective efforts to induce visitors to see and enjoy them.

And here, it is felt, emphasis should be laid upon the need for the best possible highways facilities. If an expenditure of \$22,000,000 on these Parks is to be justified by adequate returns, the roads leading to the Park approaches should be dustless; and here the Dominion might reasonably be expected to co-operate with the Provincial authorities in removing what amounts to a heavy handicap to tourist travel.

Your Committee is unable to agree with a suggestion that "some suitable island in the West Indies be secured by the Dominion and be administered as a National Park of Canada." Rather, in the judgment of your Committee, the desirable and necessary course is an extension within Canada of our National Parks system as an asset of immense value in the stimulation of tourist travel.

During the summer and autumn months of the past four years an average of more than 70,000 tourists visited these Parliament buildings annually. The figures are as follows:—

1930	83,976
1931	81,573
1932	64,129
1933	66,147

It would be difficult to exaggerate the significance of these figures or to avoid the obvious suggestion they convey.

Your Committee has to propose that during the tourist season there be maintained within this building a room to which visitors might be invited, there to receive information regarding Canada and literature setting forth the attractions of all the provinces.

Motion Picture sound apparatus is now being installed as a federal departmental service, and visitors might also be invited to witness here screenings of pictures depicting Canadian scenes and activities.

And from this central point these visitors could be directed to those parts of the country selected by them as the objectives of their visits.

Impressed as they are with the possibilities of motion and sound pictures as a medium of travel publicity, the members of your Committee urge the frequent showing of official Canadian pictures in the theatres of the Dominion and other public places in all the provinces. This might be conducted as an

educational campaign, for children and adults alike, and as a national contribution to the encouragement of travel by Canadians within their own country. Such a feature could be called "Canada on Parade" and be conducted in an appropriate patriotic atmosphere.

With so many people of Canadian birth and origin resident in the United States, it should not be difficult to induce theatre owners to give frequent screenings of these pictures in that country as well, and, in addition, these official Canadian pictures might be shown in the British Isles and the British West Indies. Here, your Committee feels, is an opportunity for extensive and valuable tourist publicity at a minimum of cost.

Your Committee has also to suggest the utilization of official pictures for the information of Parliament itself. While this suggestion has no more than an indirect bearing upon the subject matter of this inquiry, it is, nevertheless, related to an important extent.

If, at intervals during the sessions, sound and motion pictures of Canadian industrial activities were shown in this building, all associated with Parliament could receive impressions and information of great value, particularly at times when Parliament needs such guidance in its consideration of measures to deal with definite conditions of an emergent character.

It is, in the opinion of the Committee, also desirable that facility in regulations be afforded the taking of motion pictures within Canada by agencies located outside Canada, and that such activities should be encouraged as important media of publicity.

Your committee has had from representatives of transportation companies considerable evidence regarding special excursion and tourist rates on railways and steamships and details of special tours and services. These undoubtedly, have had a pronounced effect in stimulating tourist travel, and might well be enlarged and extended. The hotels and transportation companies have been doing a very large and effective work in tourist trade promotion; they are to be commended for their efforts, and urged to increase them wherever possible.

Too much attention, the Committee feels, cannot be paid to the possibilities of a greatly enlarged tourist trade coastwise and through our inland waterways, to be promoted in conjunction with rail and other forms of land transportation. This is of particular importance in view of the growing popularity of short sea voyages on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.

There are also extensive opportunities for an expansion of Canada's tourist trade from overseas; and the Committee has received information regarding a new tourist movement *from* European points to this continent, encouraged by low steamship fares. This movement is bound, the Committee is assured, to assume large proportions.

Consideration also must be given to the possibilities of an increase of visitors from Bermuda and the West Indies during the Summer and Autumn months. Already several citizens of those Islands have purchased summer homes in Canada, and your Committee believes there are opportunities for a considerable enlargement of this movement.

It is unnecessary here to recognize the vital importance of good roads as a dominating factor in tourist travel; but your Committee feels bound to emphasize two impressions left upon it as a result of its enquiry:—

1. The detrimental effects of dust as a highway nuisance and menace; and
2. The menace of dangerous railway level crossings.

Urging upon all authorities the removal of these handicaps wherever possible, the Committee feels that Federal co-operation in the matter of highways might usefully be extended in these directions.

The construction of a Trans-Canada Highway is, in the Committee's opinion, of the utmost value in relation to the tourist trade; and some Federal co-operation with the Provinces in the elimination of the dust nuisance and menace, during the tourist season, in localities where hard-surfacing of roads cannot immediately be undertaken, would be a good national investment.

Your Committee is impressed with the immediate possibility of an expansion of the Canadian tourist trade within Canada, and the results which might be expected to follow a more intensive promotion of interprovincial travel. There is evidence, from the Secretary of a Provincial Hotel Association, to show that while the number of visitors from outside Canada has fallen off heavily in the past few years, visitors from other provinces of the Dominion have increased in numbers.

And of equal importance is the consideration of aviation in tourist travel. Before the business recession a few years ago, this form of travel, both internationally and within Canada, was growing remarkably in volume and popularity; and the early future will witness a resumption of this growth. Therefore, the possibility of aerial transport should be explored in its relation to the tourist trade, and wherever possible, advantage should be taken of its utility and inducements.

Similarly, emphasis must be laid upon the growing importance of radio broadcasting in relation to the tourist trade. There should, the Committee urges, be the closest co-operation between the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Commission and agencies engaged in the encouragement of tourist travel. The broadcasting of descriptions of Canadian scenes and events within and outside the Dominion should receive close and constant attention.

As one of the most important of all considerations, your Committee urges the imperative need for conservation and campaigns to impress this need upon the public mind—conservation of Canada's fish and game resources—conservation of Canada's scenic attractions, and conservation of Canada's forest growth, than which nothing could be more priceless as a national asset.

It is, the Committee feels, desirable that tourist travel in and to Canada should be encouraged in all ways consistent with a fair and reasonable enforcement of regulations and the welfare and dignity of the country generally. It is fundamentally important that visitors receive good impressions of Canada; that they have a right to expect courtesy and helpfulness from all with whom they come in contact, whether in an official or private capacity; and that information and directions be given them readily and in a friendly spirit. Moreover, every citizen of Canada should be a self-appointed guardian of Canada's good reputation, and should strive to make Canada even more inviting in appearance and hospitality.

Serious in its effects on tourist travel is the incidence of ferry rates, particularly those on motor cars. This was impressed upon the Committee; and the case of the Prince Edward Island car-ferry rates on motor vehicles was urged as an example. Smallest of all the Provinces, Prince Edward Island is the one Province of Canada that must be reached across water, and it is not difficult to appreciate the importance of this matter as affecting that part of the Dominion. Moreover, as was pointed out, it is in the essence of the Canadian partnership that ferry rates and services to and from that Province should be such as to relieve it, insofar as possible, of the disadvantages of its island position; and anything short of this makes for insularity.

Similarly, and viewing the Canadian situation as a whole, it is axiomatic that the greatest possible facility should be afforded the movement of motor cars by ferry and otherwise, since the motor car plays such an enormous part in tourist travel to-day.

In line with the foregoing, the chief findings and recommendations of your Committee are summarized as under:—

1. That the tourist trade of Canada is a matter of National, as well as provincial, municipal and private concern.
2. That the tourist trade of Canada is capable of great expansion.
3. That an aggressive campaign of tourist trade promotion should be launched at once as a national effort and in co-operation with tourist travel and publicity agencies, public and private, throughout the Dominion.
4. That a "Canadian Travel Bureau" be established as a branch of the appropriate Department of the Dominion Government; such Bureau to have a Director at its head, and be assisted by an Advisory Council consisting of the Directors of Information of the various Provincial Governments, representatives of the Federal Departments and Services interested in tourist travel promotion, and the members of the Executive Committee of the Canadian Association of Tourist and Publicity Bureaus.
5. That a sum of not less than \$150,000 be voted at the present session of Parliament to finance this campaign during the current fiscal year.
6. That a permanent progressive program of Canadian tourist travel promotion be launched, with the closest co-operation between all agencies engaged in this work, the Dominion's share in effort and expenditure to co-ordinate and supplement the work already undertaken and proposed by all other agencies, and in no manner to supplant this work or the organizations engaged therein.
7. That a Standing Committee of this House (representative of all the Provinces) be set up, to bring Parliament into direct and permanent contact with this important national matter, to conduct an annual study of the tourist trade, and to consider means through which it may best be fostered and encouraged.
8. That the Canadian system of National Parks be extended, as a truly national policy, to embrace all the provinces; and that greater efforts be put forth to attract visitors to these fine scenic and recreational centres.
9. The Committee further recommends that two thousand copies of the proceedings of the Committee be printed in blue book form for general distribution, and that Rule No. 100 be suspended in so far as it relates to the said printings.

The Committee has recorded herein many of the suggestions it has received as the result of a Canada-wide survey, and has advanced a number of findings and recommendations. There is in the hands of the Committee a very large volume of information, containing much advice of an expert and valuable character, which will be forwarded to whatever organization is created as a result of this report.

Your Committee desires to record its appreciation of the unanimous support of the Press of the Dominion; of the valuable co-operation and assistance of representatives of all interested Government Departments and Services,

Dominion and Provincial; of the valuable expert advice given by many travel, hotel and publicity associations and agencies; and of the sincere and helpful interest of the Canadian people, manifest in such a large volume of communications.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. DENNIS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 1st May, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?
2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?
3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?
4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934?
5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?
6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?
7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?
8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?
9. Has the Government any definite policy as to the development of commercial aviation in Canada? If so, what is it?
10. Is it the policy of the Government to operate air services in Canada as a Government undertaking or is the Government encouraging private enterprises along this line?
11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?
12. Could this work have been carried out by commercial operators? If so, why were commercial operators not used?
13. How much air mail flying was carried out by the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 over a regular route and what was the cost of the same? Why was not this work done by commercial operators?
14. Would an independent committee made up in part of active commercial operators be of value to the country to investigate the aviation industry as a whole in Canada and bring in a recommendation to the Government?
15. To what extent has the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals taken over the radio service previously maintained by commercial Air Transport Firms in the Northwest Territories?
16. Are any extensions of this policy contemplated in the near future?

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirtieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Fenwick William Smith, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fenwick William Smith."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

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

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

For Friday, 25th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Michener:—

22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

MOTION**For Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

No. 1.

9th May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

22nd May—Second Reading (Bill H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

22nd May—Second Reading (Bill I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

22nd May—Second Reading (Bill J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fenwick William Smith."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

22nd May—Consideration of the third Report of the Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Senator Sharpe.)

No. 6.

22nd May—Consideration of the fourth Report of the Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Senator Sharpe.)

No. 7.

22nd May—Consideration of the report of the Special Committee on Tourists Traffic.—(Honourable Senator Dennis.)

No. 8.

22nd May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Casgrain.)

No. 40

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 23rd May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	Lynch-Staunton,	Prevost,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	MacArthur,	Rainville,
Beaubien,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Blondin,	Green,	Macdonell,	Schaffner,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Brown,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Spence,
Burns,	Horner,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	McLennan,	Taylor,
Chapais,	King,	McMeans,	Tobin,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Meighen,	Webster,
Dandurand,	Laird,	Michener,	White (Pembroke),
Dennis,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	Wilson (Sorel),
Donnelly,	Lewis,	Parent,	Wilson
Fauteux,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (16), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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 Tuesday, next.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, the fifth day of June, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fenwick William Smith," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the third Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the third Report of the Special Committee appointed to consider the immense possibilities of the tourist traffic and to inquire as to the means adopted by the Government looking to its encouragement and expansion.

The said Report was adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 29th May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

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Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 29th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

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22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

MOTION**For Tuesday, 29th May, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 29th May, 1934

No. 1.

23rd May—Third Reading (Bill H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

23rd May—Third Reading (Bill I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

23rd May—Third Reading (Bill J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fenwick William Smith."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

23rd May—Second Reading (Bill 16), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 5.

23rd May—Consideration of the third Report of the Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Senator Sharpe.)

No. 6.

23rd May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Casgrain.)

For Tuesday, 5th June, 1934

No. 1.

23rd May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 41

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 29th May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fripp,	Logan,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Rainville,
(Sir Allen),	Green,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Ballantyne,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Barnard,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Bénard,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Smith,
Black,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Spence,
Blondin,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Bourque,	Horner,	McRae,	Taylor,
Buchanan,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Chapais,	King,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Donnelly,	Lewis,	Planta,	Wilson
Foster,	Little,	Pope,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty," reported, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 24th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to whom was referred the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty," have in obedience to the order of reference of 21st February, 1934, examined the said Bill and now beg leave to report the same with amendments as embodied in a reprint of the Bill submitted herewith.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. GRIESBACH,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Horsey, from the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the existing treaties in connection with the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 25th May, 1934.

The Special Committee appointed to inquire into the existing treaties in connection with the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters, beg leave to present their first Report, as follows:—

1. The Committee recommend that they be authorized to print from time to time 600 copies of the proceedings of the Committee and that Rule 100 be suspended in so far as it relates to the said printing.

All which is respectfully submitted.

H. H. HORSEY,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping," reported, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 24th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to whom was referred the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping" have in obedience to the order of reference of 8th March, 1934, examined the said Bill and now beg leave to report the same with amendments as embodied in a reprint of the Bill submitted herewith.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. GRIESBACH,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1042, dated 21st May, 1934: ordering that the Printer's copy of all departmental reports complete in revised typewritten form, in either the English or in the French language, shall be delivered to the King's Printer on or before the first day of July in each and every year.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fenwick William Smith," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (16), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the third Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe moved that the said Report be now adopted.

In amendment, the Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Report be not now adopted but that it be referred back to the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts with instructions to give further consideration to Clause 4 of the said Report.

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative, and—
Ordered, Accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After debate, it was—
Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until tomorrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 30th May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 30th May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Michener:—

22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

MOTION**For Wednesday, 30th May, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 30th May, 1934

No. 1.

29th May—Consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to (Bill E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 2.

29th May—Consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to (Bill C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 3.

29th May—Second Reading (Bill 4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

29th May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league."—(Honourable Senator Tanner.)

For Tuesday, 5th June, 1934

No. 1.

23rd May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 42

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 30th May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Parent,
Aylesworth	Fauteux,	Little,	Planta,
(Sir Allen),	Foster,	Logan,	Pope,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Beaubien,	Green,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Black,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Smith,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Spence,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McLennan,	Tanner,
Brown,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Taylor,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McRae,	Tobin,
Calder,	Horsey,	Meighen,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Michener,	Webster,
Chapais,	King,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Lacasse,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Laird,	Murphy,	Wilson
Dandurand,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 30th May, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their fifth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have in obedience to the instruction of the Senate of the 29th May instant, given further consideration to its third Report, and now recommend as follows:—

1. That Norman McL. Wood, Chief Parliamentary Messenger, be appointed Acting Chief of Stationery Division.

2. That Abraham Dallaire, Assistant Chief Parliamentary Messenger, be appointed Acting Chief Parliamentary Messenger.

3. That Robert Brown, Messenger, be appointed Acting Assistant Chief Parliamentary Messenger.

4. That the title of the position "Mace Bearer and Assistant to Black Rod" be deleted and the following substituted therefor:—

"Assistant Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod," and that the plan of organization be amended accordingly.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Report was adopted.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (28), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping."

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration tomorrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty."

The said Report was concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations," was read the second time, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration in a Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

After further debate,

The Honourable Senator Tanner moved, in amendment, that all the words of the motion after the first word "That", in line one, be struck out and the following substituted therefor:—

"considering that several nations have withdrawn support from the League of Nations, the Senate of Canada, regretting the adverse impression thus created, recognizing that the League in many of its activities has achieved substantial and beneficial results, declares the opinion that Canada should continue membership in the League and act in concert with the United Kingdom and the sister Dominions; and should exert its influence to bring about such revision of the constitutional authority, duty and procedure of the League as may be advisable and be likely to enlist the co-operation of the Great Powers and other nations of the world for maintenance of peace and betterment generally of world conditions."

A Point of Order was raised to the effect that the words in the proposed amendment "should continue membership in the League" directly negative the motion that has been under consideration for some weeks, and that therefore the same is out of order.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he desired further time to consider the point of order.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 31st May, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 31st May, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Michener:—

22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

MOTION**For Thursday, 31st May, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 31st May, 1934

No. 1.

30th May—Consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to (Bill E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 2.

30th May—Second Reading (Bill 28), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company."—(Honourable Senator Coté.)

No. 3.

30th May—The House in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations."—(Honourable Senator McRae.)

No. 4.

30th May—Resuming the further adjourned debate on the motion by the Honourable Senator McRae: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the league." and the amendment thereto by Honourable Senator Tanner.—(Honourable Senator Casgrain.)

For Tuesday, 5th June, 1934

No. 1.

23rd May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 43

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 31st May, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,
Aylesworth	Foster,	Lewis,	Parent,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Little,	Planta,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	Logan,	Pope,
Barnard,	Graham,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Beaubien,	Green,	Macdonell,	Riley,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Black,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Smith,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Taylor,
Calder,	Horner,	McMeans,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	McRae,	Webster,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Meighen,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	King,	Michener,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	Wilson
Dandurand,	Laird,	Murdock,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being called for the further consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping," and—

The question being put for the adoption of the Report,

The Honourable Senator Ballantyne moved, in amendment, that the said Report be not now adopted; that the amendment to Clause 89 of the Bill which substituted the words "a maple leaf in green" for the words "the shield of Canada", be not concurred in, and that the said words "the shield of Canada" be restored to that clause.

After debate, and the question being put on the motion in amendment.

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down, as follows:—

CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Marcotte,	Planta,
Ballantyne,	Gillis,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Barnard,	Green,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	McLennan,	Smith,
Bénard,	Horner,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Black,	Hughes,	McRae,	Taylor,
Blondin,	Laird,	Meighen,	Webster,
Calder,	Macdonald,	Michener,	White (Inkerman),
Chapais,	Macdonell,	Murdock,	White
Coté,			(Pembroke)—37.

NON-CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Casgrain,	Harmer,	Lewis,	Parent,
Copp,	Hatfield,	Little,	Prevost,
Dandurand,	King,	Logan,	Turgeon,
Graham,	Lacasse,	Murphy,	Wilson
Hardy,			(Rockcliffe)—17.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put for the adoption of the Report,
The said Report was concurred in.

With leave of the Senate, and

On motion of the Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That the Bill, as amended, be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee).

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Black, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any further amendment.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.
The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (28), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration in a Committee of the Whole, of the Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations."

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the said Bill be not now committed to a Committee of the Whole, but that it be referred to the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered accordingly.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator McRae:—

That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League.

And the motion, in amendment, of the Honourable Senator Tanner, that all the words of the motion after the first word "That", in line one, be struck out and the following substituted therefor:—

"considering that several nations have withdrawn support from the League of Nations, the Senate of Canada, regretting the adverse impression thus created, recognizing that the League in many of its activities has achieved substantial and beneficial results, declares the opinion that Canada should continue membership in the League and act in concert with the United Kingdom and the sister Dominions; and should exert its influence to bring about such revision of the constitutional authority, duty and procedure of the League as may be advisable and be likely to enlist the co-operation of the Great Powers and other nations of the world for maintenance of peace and betterment generally of world conditions."

And a debate arising on the Point of Order raised yesterday by the Honourable Senator Murdock,—

After further debate,

The Honourable the Speaker said:

The Honourable Senator McRae has made the following motion: "That this House is of the opinion that Canada should withdraw from membership in the League of Nations, and that no further money should be voted to the League."

In amendment to this motion, the Honourable Senator Tanner has moved: That all the words of the motion after the first word "That", in line one, be struck out and the following substituted therefor:—

"considering that several nations have withdrawn support from the League of Nations, the Senate of Canada, regretting the adverse impression thus created, recognizing that the League in many of its activities has achieved substantial and beneficial results, declares the opinion that Canada should continue membership in the League and act in concert with the United Kingdom and the sister Dominions; and should exert its influence to bring about such revision of the constitutional authority, duty and procedure of the League as may be advisable and be likely to enlist the co-operation of the Great Powers and other nations of the world for maintenance of peace and betterment generally of world conditions."

The Honourable Senator Murdock has raised a Point of Order to the effect that the words in the proposed amendment "should continue membership in the League" is a direct negative to the motion that has been under consideration for some weeks, and that therefore the same is out of order.

I have perused May's Parliamentary Practice and other authorities, and May, at page 283, says:—

That amendments that are merely an expanded negative cannot be put from the chair.

Peel's Decisions, page 9, says:—

A mere negative cannot be moved as an amendment, and a proposed amendment which is merely an expanded negative is not in order.

In Denison and Brand's Decisions, page 9, I find the following:—

Amendments in the nature of substantive resolution and not of amendment to the resolution before the House cannot be moved.

In my opinion the amendment proposed by the Honourable Senator Tanner is not only in the nature of a substantive motion, but is an expanded negative to the main motion, and cannot be moved.

Therefore I rule that the Point of Order is well taken.

The Senate resumed the debate on the main motion, and—

After further debate,

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Declared passed in the negative.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (84), intituled: "An Act to amend the Inquiries Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

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

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 5th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 5th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Michener:—

22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

MOTION**For Tuesday, 5th June, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Honourable Senator Lemieux:—

8th May—That in the opinion of this House, out of future distribution of funds towards public works, a certain amount should be set aside with a view to remove slum conditions in populated districts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 5th June, 1934

No. 1.

23rd May—Second Reading (Bill 3), intituled: "An Act to amend The importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

31st May—Second Reading (Bill 84), intituled: "An Act to amend the Inquiries Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 44

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 5th June, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	Logan,	Prevost,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Barnard,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Beaubien,	Green,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Black,	Hardy,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McLennan,	Smith,
Brown,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Spence,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	McRae,	Tanner,
Calder,	Horner,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Michener,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Molloy,	Webster,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Coté,	Laird,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	Wilson
Fauteux,	Lewis,	Parent,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act to amend and an Act to incorporate Central Finance Corporation and Amending Acts," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, lines 28 to 33. For sub-paragraph (ii) of clause 3 substitute the following:—

"(ii) charge, in addition to interest as aforesaid, for all expenses which have been necessarily and in good faith incurred by the Company in making or renewing a loan authorized by the next preceding sub-paragraph (i), including all expenses for inquiry and investigation into the character and circumstances of the borrower, his endorsers, co-makers or sureties, for taxes, correspondence and professional advice, and for all necessary documents and papers, two per centum upon the principal sum loaned;"

2. Page 2, lines 34 to 41 and Page 3, lines 1 to 9. For sub-paragraph (iii) of clause 3 substitute the following:—

"(iii) notwithstanding anything in the next two preceding sub-paragraphs (i) and (ii), when a loan authorized by the said sub-paragraph (i) has been made or renewed on the security of a chattel mortgage, or subrogation of taxes, or of an agreement in writing, with or without other security, the Company shall be entitled to charge and deduct an additional fee equal to the legal and other actual expenses of the Company in connection with such loan, but not exceeding the sum of ten dollars."

3.

In The Title

Leave out from the first "Act" to the end of the title and substitute therefor "respecting Central Finance Corporation."

Ordered, That the said amendments be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (A2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Esther Liverman Kazenel."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Doris Jones Earp."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Irène Probert."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 1st June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy, Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz, Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly, Esther Liverman Kazenel, Aileen Marie Thompson Robb, Doris Jones Earp, Jean Gordon Worden Ellis, Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon and Ethel Irene Probert, respectively praying for Bills of Divorce; and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (3), intituled: "An Act to amend The Importation of Intoxicating Liquors Act."

With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill was withdrawn.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (84), intituled: "An Act to amend the Inquiries Act," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (64), intituled: "An Act respecting Dominion Companies," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (90), intituled: "An Act respecting the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve and to amend the Indian Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 6th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 6th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

8th May—That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

No. 3.

By the Honourable Senator Michener:—

22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 6th June, 1934

No. 1.

5th June—Consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to (Bill G2), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate Central Finance Corporation and Amending Acts."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 2.

5th June—Second Reading (Bill 90), intituled: "An Act respecting The Caughnawaga Indian Reserve and to amend the Indian Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 45

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Wednesday, 6th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Little,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Fripp,	Logan,	Rainville,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Ballantyne,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
Barnard,	Green,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Beaubien,	Griesbach,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Bénard,	Hardy,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Black,	Harmer,	McLennan,	Smith,
Blondin,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Spence,
Brown,	Hocken,	McRae,	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Horner,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Calder,	Horsey,	Michener,	Tobin,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Molloy,	Webster,
Chapais,	King,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Lacasse,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Laird,	Murphy,	Wilson (Sorel),
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	Wilson
Fauteux,	Lewis,	Planta,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Little:—

Of the St. Clair Transit Company (Extension of time).

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce presented their thirty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 1st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Edward Headley Acland, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Dorothea Margaret Chalmers Acland, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 1st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Kilgour Black Adamson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 1st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Helen Cohen Levine, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, cashier, for an Act to dissolve her marriage

with Isidore Levine, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 1st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Annie Rosner, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Solomon Rosner, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, less the sum of \$50.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 1st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Daniel Forbes MacLaren, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 1st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Morris Henry Robertson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (16), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach called the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and inquired of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate Central Finance Corporation and Amending Acts."

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (90), intituled: "An Act respecting the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve and to amend the Indian Act," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (84), intituled: "An Act to amend the Inquiries Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 7th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 7th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator McDonald:—

9th May—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and will inquire what steps the Government is taking to improve the situation.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Michener:—

22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 7th June, 1934

No. 1.

6th June—Third Reading (Bill 16), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 2.

6th June—Consideration of the thirty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce respecting the petition of Edward Headley Acland, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

6th June—Consideration of the thirty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce respecting the petition of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

6th June—Consideration of the thirty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce respecting the petition of Helen Cohen Levine, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

6th June—Consideration of the thirty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce respecting the petition of Annie Rosner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

6th June—Consideration of the thirty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce respecting the petition of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

6th June—Consideration of the thirty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce respecting the petition of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 8.

6th June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.—(Honourable Senator McLennan.)

No. 46

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 7th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Gillis,	Logan,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Graham,	MacArthur,	Riley,
(Sir Allen),	Green,	Macdonald,	Robinson,
Ballantyne,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Barnard,	Hardy,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Beaubien,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Sinclair,
Bénard,	Hatfield,	McGuire,	Smith,
Black,	Hocken,	McLennan,	Spence,
Blondin,	Horner,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Brown,	Horsey,	McRae,	Taylor,
Buchanan,	Hughes,	Meighen,	Tobin,
Calder,	King,	Michener,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Lacasse,	Molloy,	Webster,
Chapais,	Laird,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Lewis,	Parent,	Wilson (Sorel),
Dandurand,	Little,	Planta,	Wilson
Foster,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 7th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Hyman Stotland, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, sales manager, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ruth Rudnikoff Stotland, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (28), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator McDonald called the attention of the Senate to the very unsatisfactory position of aviation in Canada, and inquired what steps the Government have taken to improve the situation.

Debated.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Copy of Rules of Practice of the Court of King's Bench, Province of Quebec, in criminal matters, superseding the Rules at present in force (English and French).

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (16), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Edward Headley Acland, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to who was referred the petition of Helen Cohen Levine, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-sixth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Annie Rosner, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 12th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 12th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Michener:—

22nd May—That he will call the attention of the House to the question of unemployment and will inquire what steps the Government proposes to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.

2. When was construction work commenced.

3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.

4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and owing on the building.

MOTION

For Wednesday, 13th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

7th June—That Rule 78 be amended by adding thereto the following:—

18. The Committee on Tourist Traffic composed of not less than nine nor more than fifteen Senators.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 12th June, 1934

No. 1.

7th June—Third Reading (Bill 28), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company."—(Honourable Senator Cote.)

No. 2.

7th June—Consideration of the thirty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce with respect to the petition of Hyman Stotland, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

6th June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.—(Honourable Senator McLennan.)

No. 47

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 12th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	Macdonald,	Riley,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Marcotte,	Robinson,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Barnard,	Gillis,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Beaubien,	Graham,	McGuire,	Sinclair,
Bénard,	Green,	McLennan,	Smith,
Black,	Griesbach,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Blondin,	Hatfield,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Bourque,	Hocken,	Michener,	Tobin,
Buchanan,	Horsey,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Lacasse,	Murdock,	Webster,
Chapais,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	White (Inkerman),
Copp,	Lewis,	Planta,	White (Pembroke),
Coté,	Little,	Pope,	Wilson
Dandurand,	Logan,	Prevost,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of St. Clair Transit Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time within which it may commence and complete the construction of the bridge authorized by its Act of incorporation.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, to whom was referred the Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

The Honourable Senator Michener called the attention of the Senate to the question of unemployment and inquired what steps the Government propose to take to provide adequately for work of a productive character to relieve unemployment occasioned by the mechanization of industry and agriculture, and accentuated by the present prolonged depression.

Debated.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (28), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Hyman Stotland, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (94), intituled: "An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 13th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 13th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.

2. When was construction work commenced.

3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.

4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and owing on the building.

For Thursday, 14th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

12th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the necessity for adequate provision of necessary forces to maintain the neutrality of Canada in certain situations and will inquire of the Government what steps the Government proposes to take to provide itself with the means of maintaining neutrality.

MOTION

For Wednesday, 13th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

7th June—That Rule 78 be amended by adding thereto the following:—

18. The Committee on Tourist Traffic composed of not less than nine nor more than fifteen Senators.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 13th June, 1934

No. 1.

12th June—Third Reading (Bill 4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

12th June—Second Reading (Bill 51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

12th June—Second Reading (Bill 94), intituled: "An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

6th June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.—(Honourable Senator McLennan.)

No. 48

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 13th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dandurand,	Little,	Riley,
Aylesworth	Dennis,	Logan,	Robinson,
(Sir Allen),	Donnelly,	Macdonald,	Schaffner,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Barnard,	Gillis,	McCormick,	Sinclair,
Beaubien,	Graham,	McGuire,	Smith,
Béland,	Green,	McLennan,	Spence,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Black,	Hardy,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Blondin,	Harmer,	Michener,	Tobin,
Bourque,	Hatfield,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	Murdock,	Webster,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Murphy,	White (Inkerman),
Chapais,	Lacasse,	Planta,	White (Pembroke),
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Pope,	Wilson
Coté,	Lewis,	Prevost,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their eleventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 13th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their eleventh Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petition and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of John Hutton Riddel and others, of Toronto, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Security National Insurance Company."

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Headley Acland."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Cohen Levine."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rosner."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hyman Stotland."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Coté presented to the Senate a Bill (R2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Security National Insurance Company."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That Rule 78 be amended by adding thereto the following:—

18. The Committee on Tourist Traffic composed of not less than nine nor more than fifteen Senators.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That the Standing Committee on Tourist Traffic be composed of the Honourable Senators Buchanan, Dennis, Foster, Green, Hocken, MacArthur, Parent, Sharpe and Horner.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (33), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (71), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to authorize the provision of moneys to meet expenditures made and indebtedness incurred during the calendar year, 1934, and to provide for the refunding of certain maturing financial obligations," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (89), intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill (4), intituled: "An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations," be now read a third time.

In amendment, the Honourable Senator Prevost moved that the Bill be not now read a third time, but that Clause 4 be amended by striking out immediately after the word "Service" in the third line, the words "including all employees of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada," and further by striking out immediately after the word "documents" in the sixth line, the words "debates, bills, Acts, proceedings", and further by striking out immediately after the word "correspondence" in the seventh line thereof, the words "including the translation into either the English or French language of the debates and proceedings of the Senate and House of Commons".

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—

Declared passed in the negative.

The question being again put for the third reading of the Bill, the Honourable Senator Tobin moved:—

That Clause 4 be amended by adding the following at the end thereof as sub-clause (3):—

"Provided that the translators of the Senate and of the House of Commons enjoying the rights and privileges to which they are entitled as specified and defined in Sections 61 and 62 of the Civil Service Act, shall continue to possess same as in the past and under the same basis as all the other officers, clerks and employees of both Houses of Parliament".

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—

Declared passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill (51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith," be now read a second time.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (94), intituled: "An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (18), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Thursday, 14th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

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INQUIRIES

For Thursday, 14th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

12th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the necessity for adequate provision of necessary forces to maintain the neutrality of Canada in certain situations and will inquire of the Government what steps the Government proposes to take to provide itself with the means of maintaining neutrality.

For Wednesday, 20th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.
2. When was construction work commenced.
3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.
4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and owing on the building.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 14th June, 1934

No. 1.

13th June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the Second Reading (Bill 51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith."—(Honourable Senator Dandurand.)

No. 2.

12th June—Second Reading (Bill 94), intituled: "An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

6th June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.—(Honourable Senator McLennan.)

No. 4.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Headley Aeland."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Cohen Levine."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rosner."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 8.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 9.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 10.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hyman Stotland."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 11.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill R2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Security National Insurance Company."—(Honourable Senator Coté.)

No. 12.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill 33), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Saving Banks Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 13.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill 89) intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 14.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill 71), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to authorize the provision of moneys to meet expenditures made and indebtedness incurred during the calendar year 1934, and to provide for the refunding of certain maturing financial obligations."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 15.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill 18), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 49

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 14th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Coté,	Lewis,	Prevost,
Aylesworth	Dandurand,	Little,	Riley,
(Sir Allen),	Dennis,	Logan,	Robinson,
Ballantyne,	Donnelly,	Macdonald,	Schaffner,
Barnard,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Beaubien,	Gillis,	McCormick,	Sinclair,
Béland,	Graham,	McGuire,	Smith,
Bénard,	Green,	McLennan,	Spence,
Black,	Griesbach,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Blondin,	Hardy,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Bourque,	Harmer,	Michener,	Tobin,
Buchanan,	Hatfield,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Calder,	Hocken,	Murdock,	Webster,
Casgrain,	Horner,	Murphy,	White (Inkerman),
Chapais,	Horsey,	Planta,	White (Pembroke),
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Pope,	Wilson (Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (64), intituled: "An Act respecting Dominion Companies," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 14. Insert the following as paragraph (d) of clause 2:—

"(d) all companies incorporated under the *Companies Act*, chapter seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, or to which that Act applied;

Page 1, line 15. Reletter paragraph (d) as paragraph (e).

Page 3, line 24 and 25. Strike out the words "1932, chapter forty-six of the statutes of 1932,".

Page 4, line 42. For "provisional" substitute "first".

Page 5, line 10. For "or" substitute "and".

Page 6, line 49. Strike out the word "heretofore".

Page 6, line 49. After the word "surplus" insert the words "before the date of the coming into force of this Act."

Page 10, line 41. After the word "shares" insert the words ", debentures or other obligations".

Page 13, line 3. For sub-clause (3) of clause 15 substitute the following:—

"(3) If any loan is made by the company in violation of the foregoing provisions, all directors and officers of the company making the same or assenting thereto, shall, until repayment of said loan, be jointly and severally liable to the company and to its creditors for the debts of the company then existing or thereafter contracted; provided that such liability shall be limited to the amount of said loan with interest."

Page 16, line 35. For clause 24 substitute the following:—

"24. Every director, manager or officer of a company, and every person on its behalf, who—

(a) uses or authorizes the use of any seal purporting to be a seal of the company, whereon its name is not engraven in legible characters;

(b) issues, or authorizes the issue of any notices, advertisement, or other official publication of such company; or

(c) signs or authorizes to be signed on behalf of the company, any bill of exchange, promissory note, endorsement, cheque, order for money or goods; or

(d) issues or authorizes to be issued any bill or parcels, invoice or receipt of the company, wherein its name is not mentioned in legible characters;

shall be liable to a penalty of two hundred dollars, and shall also be personally liable to the holder of any such bill of exchange, promissory note, cheque, or order for money or goods, for the amount thereof, unless the same is duly paid by the company."

Page 19, line 2. After "remain" insert "jointly and severally".

Page 21, line 41. For the words "twenty-four hours" substitute the words "one week".

Page 22, line 4. For the word "shares" substitute the word "share".

Page 23, line 12. Strike out the words "by by-law or".

Page 25, line 19. For the words "even though" substitute the words "so that".

Page 26, line 8. For the word "powers" substitute the word "power".

Page 30, line 29. After the word "with," insert "or directly affected,".

Page 31, line 22. After the words "reduction of" insert "the paid-up capital of the company" and strike out "capital" after "of".

Page 31, line 47. After the words "shares" insert "and the surplus resulting from such redemption or purchase for cancellation shall be designated as a capital surplus, which shall not be reduced or distributed by the company except as provided in sections forty-nine to fifty-eight, both inclusive, of this Act."

Page 35, line 40. Strike out the words "requiring registration" and substitute therefor the words "particulars of which are required to be delivered to the Secretary of State".

Page 36, line 32. Strike out the words "knowingly and wilfully".

Page 36, line 47. After "company" insert "wilfully".

Page 36, line 48. Strike out the words "knowingly and wilfully".

Page 51, line 8. After the word "person" insert "acting for or on behalf of a company".

Page 51, line 9. For "a" substitute "such".

Page 51, line 11. Strike out the words "or purchase".

Page 52, line 20. After "owned" insert "or controlled".

Page 52, line 24. After "shall" insert "until repayment of the dividends so declared and paid, be jointly and severally liable to the company and to its creditors for the debts of the company then existing or thereafter contracted; provided that such liability shall be limited to the amount of such dividends and interest, which have not been repaid to the company."

Page 52, line 24 to line 30. Strike out all the words from "be" inclusive to "respectively" inclusive.

Page 52, line 34. Strike out the words "twenty-four hours" and substitute therefor the words "one week".

Page 57, line 24. For the words "one year" substitute "six months".

Page 58, line 43. After the word "business" insert "of which the general nature is specified in the notice of the meeting".

Page 59, line 44. Strike out the words "held in pursuance of this Act or of any rules made thereunder, or in pursuance of the provisions contained in any debenture or trust deed, as the case may be." and substitute therefor "secured or unsecured or any class thereof as the case may be."

Page 60, line 5. Strike out the words "creditor or holder of debentures," and substitute therefor "or creditor secured or unsecured as the case may be".

Page 61, line 17. Transpose the words "in Canada" after the word "keep".

Page 62, line 13. Strike out the words "in the case of a company".

Page 64, line 12. Strike out the words "of goods".

Page 64, line 13. After paragraph (c) insert the following as new paragraph (d):—

"(d) all other transactions affecting the financial position of the company."

Page 64, line 15. After the word "place" insert the words "in Canada".

Page 65, line 5. Strike out the words "(b) debts owing to the company from its customers;".

Page 65, line 6. Reletter paragraph (c) as paragraph (b).

Page 65, line 7. Insert the following as paragraph (c):—

"(c) other debts owing to the company;".

Page 65, line 20. Strike out the words "income taxes" and substitute therefor the words "taxes imposed by any taxing authority in Canada".

Page 65, line 46. After the word "company" insert "incurred after the date of the coming into force of this Act or within a period of three years prior to said date;".

Page 66, line 48. After the word "taxes" insert "imposed by any taxing authority in Canada;".

Page 71, line 36. Strike out the words "and to make" and substitute therefor the words "for the purpose of making".

Page 80, line 41. For "provisional" substitute "first".

Page 82, line 22. After the words "the company" insert "or 'a company'".

Page 82, line 22. For "the company" substitute "a company".

Page 84, line 14. For "stock" substitute "shares".

Page 87, line 3. Strike out of word "only".

Page 88, line 8. For "stock" substitute "each class".

Pages 88 and 89, lines 40 to 43, inclusive, and lines 1 to 5, inclusive. Strike out the whole of clause 170 and substitute therefor the following:—

"170. Any director, officer or employee of the company who refuses or fails to permit the exercise of the right of inspection and making extracts conferred by section one hundred and sixty-nine of this Act, shall be liable to a penalty of two hundred dollars. R.S., c. 27, s. 179 am."

Page 89, lines 6 to 9, inclusive. Strike out the whole of clause 171 and substitute therefor the following:—

"171. Every one who, being a director, manager or officer of a company or acting on its behalf, commits any act contrary to the provisions of this Part, or fails or neglects to comply with any such provision, shall, if no penalty for such act, failure or neglect is expressly provided by this Part, be liable, on summary conviction, to a penalty of not more than one thousand dollars, or to imprisonment for not more than one year, or to both such penalty and imprisonment: Provided no proceeding shall be taken under this section without the consent in writing of the Secretary of State. R.S., c. 27, s. 146, am."

Page 91, line 2. For "stock" substitute "shares".

Page 92, line 25. For "twenty-four hours" substitute "one week".

Page 92, lines 41 and 42. For "twenty-four hours" substitute "one week".

Page 96, line 26. For the words "REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER OFFICES." substitute the words "PROVISIONS OF GENERAL APPLICATION."

Page 96, line 29. After the word "Canada." insert "and 'corporation' means a corporation to which Part II of this Act applies."

Page 97, line 37. Add the following as new clause 207:—

"207. (1) The persons to whom this section applies are directors of a company or corporation; managers of a company or corporation; officers of a company or corporation; persons employed by a company or corporation as auditors, whether they are or are not officers of the company or corporation.

(2) If in any proceeding for breach of or non-compliance with any of the provisions of this Act or breach of or non-compliance with any of the provisions of the letters patent, supplementary letters patent, Special Act, or by-laws of a company or corporation, against a person to whom this section applies, it appears to the court hearing the case that that person is or may be liable in respect of such breach or non-compliance, but that he has acted honestly and reasonably, and that, having regard to all the circumstances of the case, including those connected with his appointment, he ought fairly to be excused for such breach or non-compliance, that court may relieve him, either wholly or partly, from his liability on such terms as the court may think fit.

(3) Where any person to whom this section applies has reason to apprehend that any claim will or might be made against him in respect of any such breach or non-compliance, he may apply to the court, as defined in paragraph (d) of section three of this Act, of the province in which the head office or the principal place of business of the company or corporation is situate, for relief, and the court on such application shall have the same power to relieve him as under this section it would have had if it had been a court before which proceedings against that person for such breach or non-compliance had been brought.

(4) Where any case to which subsection two of this section applies is being tried by a judge with a jury, the judge, after hearing the evidence, may, if he is satisfied that the defendant ought in pursuance of that subsection to be relieved either in whole or in part from the liability sought to be enforced against him, withdraw the case in whole or in part from the jury and forthwith direct judgment to be entered for the defendant on such terms as to costs or otherwise as the judge may think proper."

Page 97, line 38. Renumber clause 207 as 208.

Page 98, line 1. Renumber clause 208 as 209.

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Béland, from the Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 21st February, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

HENRI S. BELAND,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—
Ordered, That Orders for second readings of Bills be now called, and that the remaining Orders be taken in the order in which they stand.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (94), intituled: "An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Headley Acland," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M2), intituled: "An Act for relief of Helen Cohen Levine," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rosner," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hyman Stotland," was, on division, read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Security National Insurance Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (33), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (89), intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (71), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to authorize the provision of moneys to meet expenditures made and indebtedness incurred during the calendar year, 1934, and to provide for the refunding of certain maturing financial obligations," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (18), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach called the attention of the Senate to the necessity for adequate provision of necessary forces to maintain the neutrality of Canada in certain situations and inquired of the Government what steps the Government proposes to take to provide itself with the means of maintaining neutrality.

Debated.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith."

After debate,

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half past seven o'clock.

7.30 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

The debate continuing,

After further debate,

The said Bill was, on division, read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Black, from the said Committee, reported that they had taken the said Bill into consideration, made some progress thereon, and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for further consideration in a Committee of the Whole, at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 20th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.

2. When was construction work commenced.

3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.

4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and owing on the building.

MOTION

For Tuesday, 19th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Little:—

14th June—That an order of the Senate be issued for copies of all correspondence between the Department of Trade and Commerce and its officials and other persons respecting the proposal for the formation of a Dutch Loan and Investment Company in or about the year or years 1910-1911, intended to advance money to agriculturists in the Western Provinces of Canada.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Friday, 15th June, 1934

No. 1.

14th June—Third Reading (Bill K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Headley Acland."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

14th June—Third Reading (Bill L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

14th June—Third Reading (Bill M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Cohen Levine."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

14th June—Third Reading (Bill N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rosner."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

14th June—Third Reading (Bill O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 6.

14th June—Third Reading (Bill P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 7.

14th June—Third Reading (Bill Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hyman Stotland."—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 8.

14th June—The House again in Committee of the Whole on (Bill 51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith."—(Honourable Senator Ballantyne.)

No. 9.

6th June—Resuming the adjourned debate on the inquiry by the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.—(Honourable Senator McLennan.)

No. 10.

13th June—Second Reading (Bill 33), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Saving Banks Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 50

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Friday, 15th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Riley,
(Sir Allen),	Gillis,	Macdonald,	Robinson,
Barnard,	Graham,	McCormick,	Schaffner,
Black,	Green,	McGuire,	Sharpe,
Blondin,	Griesbach,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Harmer,	McMeans,	Smith,
Calder,	Hatfield,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Chapais,	Hocken,	Michener,	Taylor,
Copp,	Horsey,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Coté,	King,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Dandurand,	Little,	Murphy,	Wilson
Dennis,	Logan,	Planta,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Headley Acland," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Cohen Levine," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rosner," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson," was, on division, read the third time. The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hyman Stotland," was, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and again put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith."

(In the Committee)

Title read and postponed.

Preamble read and postponed.

Clause 1 was read and agreed to.

Clause 2 was read and amended, as follows:—

Page 1, line 17. After the word "grains" insert the words "other than wheat".

Page 1, line 20. After the word "agriculture" insert the words ", with the exception of wheat,".

The said clause, as amended, was agreed to.

Clauses 3 and 4 were read and agreed to.

Clause 5 was read, and it was moved that the said clause be amended by inserting after the word "and" in line 34, page 5, the following: "may then lay before Parliament that scheme, and if Parliament resolves that the scheme shall be approved, the Governor in Council may".

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Declared passed in the negative.

Clause 5 was again read and agreed to.

Clauses 6 to 26, both inclusive, were read and agreed to.

Preamble again read and agreed to.

Title again read and agreed to.

After some time, the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Black, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk.

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the inquiry of the Honourable Senator Griesbach:—

That he will call the attention of the Government to the question of the Defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada, and will inquire of the Government what steps it proposes to take to provide adequately for the defence of the sea-borne Trade of Canada.

Debated.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (33), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 19th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 20th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.

2. When was construction work commenced.

3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.

4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and owing on the building.

MOTION

For Tuesday, 19th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Little:—

14th June—That an order of the Senate be issued for copies of all correspondence between the Department of Trade and Commerce and its officials and other persons respecting the proposal for the formation of a Dutch Loan and Investment Company in or about the year or years 1910-1911, intended to advance money to agriculturists in the Western Provinces of Canada.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 19th June, 1934

No. 1.

15th June—Third Reading (Bill 51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith," as amended.—
(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 51

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 19th June, 1934

8 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Barnard,	Gillis,	McLennan,	Schaffner,
Bénard,	Green,	McMeans,	Sharpe,
Black,	Griesbach,	Meighen,	Sinclair,
Blondin,	Hatfield,	Michener,	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	Molloy,	Taylor,
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Moraud,	Tobin,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Murdock,	Turgeon,
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	White (Inkerman),
Coté,	Little,	Parent,	Wilson (Sorel),
Dandurand,	Logan,	Planta,	Wilson
Dennis,	MacArthur,	Pope,	(Rockcliffe).
Fauteux,	Macdonald,	Rainville,	

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (89), intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 38, lines 28 and 29. Strike out the words "and not less than fifty dollars,".

2. Page 38, line 30. After the word "for" insert the words "a term not exceeding".

3. Page 63, line 45. After the word "be" insert the words "seized as".

4. Page 63, line 47. Insert the following as new clause 169A:—

"169A. (1) Whenever any horses, vehicles, vessels or other appliances have been seized as forfeited under this Act anyone, (other than the person accused of an offence resulting in such seizure or person in whose possession such horses, vehicles, vessels or other appliances were seized) who claims an interest in such horses, vehicles, vessels or other appliances as owner, mortgagee, lien-holder or holder of any like interest may within thirty days after such seizure apply to any judge of any Superior Court of any province of Canada or to a judge of the Exchequer Court for an order declaring his interest.

(2) If, after such notice to the Commissioner as the judge may require, it is made to appear to the satisfaction of such judge,

(a) that the claimant is innocent of any complicity in the offence resulting in such seizure or of any collusion with the offender in relation thereto and

(b) that he exercised all reasonable care in the choice of the person permitted to obtain the possession of such horses, vehicles, vessels or other appliances to satisfy himself that they were not likely to be used contrary to the provisions of this Act or, if a mortgagee or lien-holder, that the vendor to the mortgagor or lien-giver exercised such care;

he shall be entitled to an order that his interest be not affected by such seizure."

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fortieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 15th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fortieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Eugenie Margaret O'Reilly Stavert, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, office clerk, for an Act to

dissolve her marriage with William Stuart Stavert, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 15th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of George Harold Allen, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, assistant purchasing agent, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjorie Nelson Allen, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 15th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ena Beatrice Duclos Boyd, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Winnett Wornibe Boyd, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 15th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Paul Herbert Addy, of the town of Montreal, West, in the province of Quebec, insurance agent, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Bettie O'Hagan Addy, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

L. McMEANS,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Little, it was—

Ordered,—That an order of the Senate do issue for copies of all correspondence between the Department of Trade and Commerce and its officials and other persons respecting the proposal for the formation of a Dutch Loan and Investment Company in or about the year or years 1910-1911, intended to advance money to agriculturists in the Western Provinces of Canada.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (6), intituled: "An Act to amend the Meat and Canned Foods Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (53), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (70), intituled: "An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (95), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (97), intituled: "An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (98), intituled: "An Act to amend the Customs Tariff," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (64), intituled: "An Act respecting Dominion Companies."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That the name of the Honourable Senator Spence be added to the list of members composing the Standing Committee on Tourist Traffic.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill (51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith," as amended, be now read a third time,

In amendment, the Honourable Senator Turgeon moved that the Bill be not now read a third time, but that Clause 2 be amended by inserting after the word "river" in line 21, page 1, the words "except the product of the sea of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island,"

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—

Declared passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, as amended, the Honourable Senator Dandurand moved:—

That Clause 5 be amended by inserting after the word "and" in line 34, page 5, the following: "may then lay before Parliament that scheme, and if Parliament resolves that the scheme shall be approved, the Governor in Council may".

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—

Declared passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the main motion, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with two amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 20th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 20th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.
2. When was construction work commenced.
3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.
4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and owing on the building.

For Thursday, 21st June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Pope:—

19th June—That he will ask of the Government:—

The number of amputation cases on roll now being provided with limbs:
Chopart, symes; below knee, knee, thigh, hip.

Arms: Partial hand, wrist, below elbow, elbow, above elbow, shoulder.

Number of artificial limbs made and provided to veterans each month.

Number of artificial arms made and provided to veterans each month.

Give full report on number of legs and arms provided to patients in 1933, and for compensation board.

Give average life of artificial limb.

Would the Government establish a standard artificial limb.

How many men are employed in making artificial limbs, and at what wage per hour.

How many hours a day.

Are any of these men receiving pensions in addition to the wage.

How many officials are attached to the artificial limb department.

Total salaries paid per month.

Total costs of material each year.

How many sub-stations, where located.

Total cost of maintenance.

How many patients are provided for in each of these districts, are they permitted to supply outside patients.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 20th June, 1934

No. 1.

19th June—Consideration of the fortieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Eugenie Margaret O'Reilley Stavert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 2.

19th June—Consideration of the forty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Harold Allen, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 3.

19th June—Consideration of the forty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ena Beatrice Duclos Boyd, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 4.

19th June—Consideration of the forty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Paul Herbert Addy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.—(Honourable Senator McMeans.)

No. 5.

19th June—Second Reading (Bill 6), intituled: "An Act to amend the Meat and Canned Foods Act."—(Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 6.

19th June—Second Reading (Bill 53), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 7.

19th June—Second Reading (Bill 70), intituled: "An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 8.

19th June—Second Reading (Bill 95), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 9.

19th June—Second Reading (Bill 97), intituled: “An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 10.

19th June—Second Reading (Bill 98), intituled: “An Act to amend the Customs Tariff.”—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 52

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 20th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dennis,	Little,	Pope,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Logan,	Rainville,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	MacArthur,	Riley,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Macdonald,	Robinson,
Barnard,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Schaffner,
Beaubien,	Gillis,	McCormick,	Sharpe,
Béland,	Green,	McLennan,	Sinclair,
Bénard,	Griesbach,	McMeans,	Smith,
Black,	Hardy,	Meighen,	Tanner,
Blondin,	Hatfield,	Michener,	Taylor,
Buchanan,	Hocken,	Molloy,	Tobin,
Burns,	Horsey,	Moraud,	Turgeon,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Murdock,	White (Inkerman),
Chapais,	King,	Murphy,	White (Pembroke),
Copp,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	Wilson (Sorel),
Coté,	Lewis,	Planta,	Wilson
Dandurand,			(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (33), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (R2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Security National Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, to return the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

Th said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, lines 9 to 12 inclusive. Strike out the whole of subclause (1) and renumber subclause (2) as (1) and insert thereafter as subclause (2) the following:—

"(2) 'Agreement with the crew' has the meaning as indicated in section one hundred and sixty-three of this Act."

2. Page 3, line 47. Strike out all the words after "means" to the end of the paragraph and substitute therefor "a voyage extending beyond the area of a home-trade voyage and not being an inland or minor waters voyage."

3. Page 4, lines 47 and 48. Strike out "north of the 60th parallel of north latitude or".

4. Page 4, line 49. After "latitude" insert "or through Behring Strait".

5. Page 9, lines 20 to 26 inclusive. Strike out the whole of subclause (89) and substitute the following therefor:—

"(89) 'Sailing ship' (except as may be provided under the Load Lines Rules) means a ship propelled wholly by sails, and includes a ship not in excess of one hundred and fifty tons, gross tonnage, provided with masts, sails and rigging sufficient to allow her to make voyages under sail alone, and which, in addition, is provided with mechanical means of propulsion other than a steam engine."

6. Page 43, line 29. After "shield" insert "of the Coat of Arms".

7. Page 57, lines 27 to 31 inclusive. Strike out paragraph (b) of sub-clause (1) and substitute the following therefor:—

“(b) after an inquiry the Minister is satisfied that such holder has become permanently incapacitated in respect of the performance of his duties as a master or mate as the case may be. Such an inquiry shall be held in a like manner to an inquiry held under the provisions of section five hundred and seventy-two of this Act.”

8. Page 57, lines 32 to 40 inclusive. Strike out the whole of subclauses (2) and (3) of clause 120.

9. Page 57, line 41. Before “Certificates” insert “Subject to the provisions of the next preceding section.”

10. Page 57, lines 44 to 47, inclusive. Strike out all the words after “issued” to the end of the clause.

11. Page 71, line 20. Strike out “superintendent” and substitute “shipping master”.

12. Page 72, line 45. Strike out “eight” and substitute therefor “nine”.

13. Page 76, line 38. After “work” insert “unless requested by the seaman”.

14. Page 114, line 13. After “no” insert “child, being a”.

15. Page 114, line 20. After “no” insert “young person not being a child and being a”.

16. Page 115, line 1. After “no” insert “young”.

17. Page 143, line 17. Strike out “liable to pay, to the pilotage authority of the district, a sum”—

18. Page 156, lines 17 and 18. Strike out “six hundred and sixty-one or six hundred and sixty-two” and substitute therefor “three hundred and eighty-nine or three hundred and ninety”.

19. Page 242, line 37. Strike out “body of water” and substitute therefor “part or parts of the minor waters of Canada.”

20. Page 249, line 13. Strike out “scheduled” and substitute therefor “contained in the eighth schedule”.

21. Page 266, line 14. After “under” insert “this part of”.

22. Page 267, line 3. Strike out “Act” and substitute therefor “part”.

23. Page 267, line 6. Strike out “of this Act”.

24. Page 267, line 11. Strike out “of this Act”.

25. Page 267, line 18. Strike out “of this Act”.

26. Page 267, line 19. After “which” insert “this Part of”.

27. Page 267, line 21. Strike out “Act” at the beginning and also at the end of the line and substitute therefor “Part”, in both places.

28. Page 267, line 23. Strike out “Act” and substitute therefor “Part”.

29. Page 454. At bottom of the page strike out the following words:—
“Ottawa: Printed by Frederick Albert Acland, Law printer to the King’s Most Excellent Majesty.”

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That the said amendments be referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate Compromises and Arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (93), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian Farm Loan Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fortieth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Eugenie Margaret O'Reilly Stavert, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-first Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of George Harold Allen, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-second Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Ena Beatrice Duolos Boyd, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-third Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Paul Herbert Addy, together with the evidence taken before the said Committee.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (6), intituled: "An Act to amend the Meat and Canned Foods Act," 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 (53), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (70), intituled: "An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act," 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 (95), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (97), intituled: "An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (98), intituled: "An Act to amend the Customs Tariff," was read the second time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Copp presented to the Senate a Bill (S2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eugenie Margaret O'Reilly Stavert."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Senator Copp presented to the Senate a Bill (T2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Harold Allen."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Senator Copp presented to the Senate a Bill (U2), intituled:
"An Act for the relief of Ena Beatrice Duolos Boyd."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Senator Copp presented to the Senate a Bill (V2), intituled:
"An Act for the relief of Paul Herbert Addy."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Senate adjourned.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 21st June, 1934

No. 1.

20th June—Second Reading (Bill 92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate Compromises and Arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

20th June—Second Reading (Bill 93), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian Farm Loan Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 53

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 21st June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Little,	Pope,
Aylesworth	Fauteux,	Logan,	Riley,
(Sir Allen),	Foster,	MacArthur,	Robinson,
Ballantyne,	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Schaffner,
Barnard,	Gillis,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Béland,	Graham,	McCormick,	Sinclair,
Bénard,	Green,	McGuire,	Smith,
Black,	Griesbach,	McMeans,	Tanner,
Blondin,	Hardy,	Meighen,	Taylor,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	Michener,	Tobin,
Burns,	Hatfield,	Molloy,	Turgeon,
Calder,	Hocken,	Moraud,	White (Inkerman),
Casgrain,	Horsey,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke),
Chapais,	Hughes,	Murphy,	Wilson (Sorel),
Copp,	King,	Parent,	Wilson
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Planta,	(Rockcliffe).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their twelfth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 21st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their twelfth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of St. Clair Transit Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the time within which it may commence and complete the construction of the bridge authorized by its Act of incorporation.

2. The Committee find that the notice of intention to apply to Parliament has been published once a week for two weeks in the Canada Gazette and the Sarnia Canadian Observer.

3. The Committee is satisfied that no interest will suffer if the Bill is allowed to proceed, and beg to recommend that publication of the notice for two weeks be deemed and taken as a sufficient compliance with the requirements of Rule 107.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the Bill (53), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill was then read the third time.
The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (95), intituled: "An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill was then read the third time.
The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (97), intituled: "An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act," reported they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented the following Report:—

THURSDAY, 21st June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping," have in obedience to the order of reference of 20th June, 1934, examined the said amendments, and now beg leave to report the same, without any amendment.

All which is respectfully submitted.

F. B. BLACK,
Chairman.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (18), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 25, lines 31 to 50 and page 26, lines 1 to 3. Leave out subclause (10) of clause 53.

2. Page 44, line 27. After "consideration" insert "; but this subsection shall not apply to the consideration of loans or advances to corporations controlled by the bank, the shares of which, except for qualifying shares, are owned by the bank."

3. Page 50, line 25. After "grain" insert "or fertilizer".

4. Page 50, line 26. After "grain," insert "or from land on which in the same season such fertilizer has been used,".

5. Page 50, line 30. After "grain" insert ", fertilizer".

6. Page 50, line 37. After "grain" insert ", fertilizer".

7. Page 50, line 40. After "threshed" insert "or the crop harvested".

8. Page 50, line 42. After "grain" insert ", fertilizer".

9. Page 50, line 43. After "threshed" insert "or crop harvested".

10. Page 80, line 33. After "dollars;" leave out "or".

11. Page 80, line 38. After "dollars;" insert "or".

12. Page 80, line 38. Add the following as paragraph (f) of clause 151 (1):—

"(f) permits its name to appear upon any prospectus or advertisement in connection with the issue of securities;"

13. Page 83, line 21. After "deliver" insert "to the Minister".

14. Page 83, line 31. Add the following as subclause (4) of clause 160 (1):—

"(4) Every bank which neglects to transmit or deliver to the Minister within the time prescribed by the Treasury Board a certified return showing, as to deposits by the public in Canada payable on demand and also deposits payable after notice, the number and aggregate amount of such deposits in each of the classifications by this Act required, at a date to be specified by the Treasury Board, shall incur a penalty of fifty dollars for each and every day during which such neglect continues."

15. Page 87. In Schedule A. Add immediately after the names of the banks mentioned in the said Schedule A, the following:—

"La Banque Provinciale du Canada and Banque Canadienne Nationale hereinbefore named may respectively carry on business pursuant to the provisions of this Act, under the respective names 'The Provincial Bank of Canada' and 'National Canadian Bank'."

16. In Schedule D.

Page 88, line 9 of Schedule D. After "grain" insert "(or fertilizer)".

Page 88, line 11 of Schedule D. After "sown" insert "(or used)".

Page 89, line 2 of Schedule D. After "therefrom" insert "(or the fertilizer purchased and the crop grown on the land on which in the same season such fertilizer has been used)".

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (109), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (111), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Finance Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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 Tuesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (112), intituled: "An Act to repeal Chapter four of the Statutes of 1915," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

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 Tuesday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, lines 4 to 15 inclusive. Strike out clause 1, and substitute the following therefor:—

"1. Paragraphs two, six and seven of the preamble to the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932, chapter forty-six of the Statutes of Canada, 1932, are repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

"Whereas it is desirable to provide for the registration of such companies and of British insurance companies which may desire to carry on the business of insurance in Canada, and for the voluntary registration of provincial companies; and

"Whereas it is contrary to the public interest that insurance companies which are unable to discharge their liabilities to policyholders in Canada as they become due, or are otherwise insolvent, should be permitted to carry on the business of insurance in Canada; and

"Whereas it is desirable to provide by a system of returns and inspection against such companies engaging in, or continuing to carry on, business in Canada while unable to discharge their liabilities to such policyholders as they become due or while otherwise insolvent, and to declare the conditions upon which such companies shall be deemed to be insolvent and be subject to be wound up under the provisions of the Winding-up Act."

2. Page 1, lines 16 to 33 inclusive. Strike out clause 2 and substitute the following therefor:—

"2. Section two of the said Act is amended as follows:—

(1) By striking out paragraphs (b) and (c) thereof and substituting therefor the following: (b) 'British company' means any corporation incorporated under the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland or any British Dominion or possession other than Canada or a province of Canada for the purpose of carrying on the business of insurance.

(2) By re-lettering paragraphs (d) to (p) thereof (c) to (o) respectively."

3. Page 10, lines 7 and 8. Strike out "other than a member of Lloyds".

4. Page 10, lines 10 to 17 inclusive. Strike out subparagraph (i) of paragraph (a) of new clause one hundred and eighteen and substitute therefor:—

"(i) A copy of the charter, act of incorporation or articles of association of the British company, certified by the proper officer in charge of the original thereof."

5. Pages 11, 12 and 13. Strike out new clauses one hundred and nineteen and one hundred and twenty.

6. Page 13, line 11. Renumber new clause one hundred and twenty-one as one hundred and nineteen.

7. Page 13, line 25. Renumber new clause one hundred and twenty-two as one hundred and twenty.

8. Page 14, lines 26 to 29 inclusive. Strike out clause thirty-eight and substitute therefor the following:—

“38. Section one hundred and twenty-four of the said Act is amended by striking out the proviso to subsection one thereof and by renumbering the said section one hundred and twenty-one.”

9. Pages 14 and 15. Strike out clause thirty-nine and substitute the following therefor:—

“39. Section one hundred and twenty-five of the said Act is renumbered one hundred and twenty-two; and section one hundred and twenty-six of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

123. Every British company registered under this Act to transact any class of insurance business, other than life insurance, shall at all times maintain assets in Canada in respect of any such class of business of an amount at least equal to the liabilities of the company in Canada including the liabilities of the company in respect of its outstanding unmatured policies in Canada computed in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and thirty-seven of this Act;

Provided, however, that the assets in Canada of a British company which is a purely mutual fire insurance company shall continue to form part of the general assets of such company, available *pari passu* to all its policyholders in or out of Canada in the same manner as its other funds; but no such company shall, except with the consent of the Treasury Board, and upon such terms and conditions as the Treasury Board may determine, reduce the amount of its assets in Canada below the amount otherwise required by this Act to be maintained in Canada.

(2) The proviso to subsection one of this section shall not apply to any such company which files with the Minister in a form approved by him, a declaration that the assets in Canada of such company are held for the protection of the policyholders in Canada, exclusively, of such company.”

10. Page 15, line 18. Strike out “one hundred and twenty-six” and substitute “one hundred and twenty-four”.

11. Page 15, line 31. For the figures “127” substitute “125”.

12. Page 16, lines 9 to 14 inclusive. Strike out section 42 and substitute the following therefor:—

“42. Section one hundred and twenty-nine of the said Act is amended by striking out the proviso to subsection two thereof and by renumbering the said section one hundred and twenty-six; and sections one hundred and thirty, one hundred and thirty-one and one hundred and thirty-two of the said Act are renumbered one hundred and twenty-seven, one hundred and twenty-eight and one hundred and twenty-nine respectively.”

13. Page 16, line 17. For the figures “132” substitute the figures “130”.

14. Page 16, line 22. Strike out “one hundred and thirty-three” and substitute “one hundred and thirty-one”.

15. Page 16, line 32. Strike out “one hundred and thirty-four” and substitute “one hundred and thirty-two”.

16. Page 16, line 36. For the figures “135” substitute “133”.

17. Page 17, line 8. For the figures “136” substitute “134”.

18. Page 17, line 20. Strike out “one hundred and twenty-seven” and substitute “one hundred and twenty-five”.

19. Page 17, line 24. For the figures "137" substitute "135".
20. Page 17, lines 24 and 25. Strike out "one hundred and thirty-eight to one hundred and forty" and substitute "one hundred and thirty-six to one hundred and thirty-eight".
21. Page 17, lines 29 to 32 inclusive. Strike out clause 49 and substitute the following therefor:—
"49. Sections one hundred and thirty-nine and one hundred and forty of the said Act are renumbered one hundred and thirty-six and one hundred and thirty-seven respectively."
22. Page 17, line 34. Strike out "one hundred and forty" and substitute "one hundred and thirty-eight".
23. Page 17, line 38. Strike out "one hundred and twenty-five" and substitute "one hundred and twenty-three".
24. Page 17, line 43. For the figures "141" substitute "139".
25. Page 17, lines 43 and 44. Strike out "one hundred and thirty-eight and one hundred and thirty-nine" and substitute "one hundred and thirty-six and one hundred and thirty-seven".
26. Page 18, lines 1 to 17 inclusive. Strike out clause 52 and substitute the following therefor:—
"52. Section one hundred and forty-three of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:—
"140. The provisions of sections one hundred and five, one hundred and six, one hundred and seven and one hundred and ten of this Act shall apply, mutatis mutandis, to every British company registered under this Act to the same extent as such provisions are applicable to a company registered to transact the same class, or classes of insurance business under Part III of this Act."
27. Page 18, lines 21 to 30 inclusive. Strike out new clause 143 and substitute the following therefor:—
"141. If any British company registered under this Act fails to deposit in the Department annual statements pursuant to the provisions of sections one hundred and twenty-five and one hundred and twenty-six of this Act, or declines to permit the examination authorized by section one hundred and twenty-seven or by section one hundred and thirty of this Act, or refuses to give any information desired for such purpose in its possession or control, its certificate of registry may be withdrawn by the Minister."
28. Page 18, line 33. Strike out the figures "144" and substitute "142".
29. Page 18, lines 39 and 40. Strike out "one hundred and forty-six" and substitute "one hundred and forty-four."
30. Page 19, line 10. For the figures "145" substitute "143".
31. Page 19, lines 14 to 16 inclusive. Strike out clause 56 and substitute the following therefor:—
"56. Section one hundred and forty-eight of the said Act is renumbered one hundred and forty-four, and subsections two, three and four thereof are repealed."
32. Page 20, lines 1 to 4 inclusive. Strike out clause 57 and substitute the following therefor:—
"57. Sections one hundred and forty-nine and one hundred and fifty of the said Act are renumbered one hundred and forty-five and one hundred and forty-six respectively."

33. Page 20, line 7. Strike out the figures "149" and substitute "147".

34. Page 21, lines 7 to 9 inclusive. Strike out clause 59 and substitute the following therefor:—

"59. Sections one hundred and fifty-two and one hundred and fifty-three of the said Act are renumbered one hundred and forty-eight and one hundred and forty-nine respectively."

35. Page 21, line 12. Strike out the figures "152" and substitute "150".

36. Page 21, lines 32 and 33. Strike out clause 61 and substitute the following therefor:—

"61. Section one hundred and fifty-five of the said Act is renumbered one hundred and fifty-one."

37. Page 21, lines 34 and 35. Strike out clause 62 and substitute the following therefor:—

"62. Section one hundred and fifty-six of the said Act is repealed and section one hundred and fifty-seven of the said Act is renumbered one hundred and fifty-two."

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That the said amendments be referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Honourable Senator Horsey, from the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the existing treaties in connection with the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters, presented the following Report:—

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 20th June, 1934.

The Special Committee appointed to inquire into the existing treaties in connection with the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters, beg leave to present their second Report, as follows:—

In the course of several meetings held by the Committee the following witnesses were heard and examined by the Committee, the names being in alphabetical order and the pages where their evidence may be found being set out after their respective names:—

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In addition to the evidence of the foregoing the following exhibits were filed:—

1. Annual Fisheries Report, 1932-33.
2. Fisheries Statistics of Canada for 1932.
3. Annual Report of the Biological Board of Canada.

4. Pelagic Sealing Treaty, July 7th, 1911.
5. Pacific Halibut Treaty, 9th May, 1930.
6. Fraser River Sockeye Salmon Treaty, May 26th, 1930.
7. Statement showing the Pribilof Island Seal Herd and operations in connection therewith.
8. Statement of the Fur Seals taken under the Treaty in the North West Coast Catch by natives from 1913 to 1933.
9. Statement of the Pacific Halibut Catch from 1911 to 1933.
10. Statement of the Pack of Sockeye Salmon in the Fraser River area from 1909 to 1933.
11. Copies of a series of letters directed to Dr. F. Thompson, International Fisheries Commission, Seattle, Washington, from fishing interests in British Columbia, Seattle, Washington, Kalama, Washington and Eureka, California, on halibut fishing on the Pacific coast.
12. Statement showing expenditure and revenue *re* fisheries services for British Columbia.
13. United States Department of Commerce publication entitled: "Alaska Fishery and Fur-Seal Industries in 1932," by Ward T. Bower.
14. Letter directed to Dr. Thompson, Director, International Fisheries Commission, Seattle, Wash., from Canadian Halibut Fishing Vessel Owners' Association, Prince Rupert, B.C.
15. Exchange of correspondence showing cost of operation of vessels patrolling in Pacific waters in connection with the Pelagic Sealing Treaty.

PELAGIC SEALING

1. Dealing with the pelagic treaty first, the Committee, after hearing the evidence of the Deputy Minister of Fisheries and two dealers in seal furs, concluded that this treaty, signed at Washington on July 7th, 1911, by Great Britain, the United States of America, Russia and Japan, had accomplished its chief object, namely, the building up of a large and satisfactory seal herd.

2. Although the herd was on the verge of commercial exhaustion in 1911, this agreement by the elimination of all pelagic sealing by the nationals of the countries a party to it, except the seals taken for food along their shores by natives, brought back the herd to something of its original size.

3. Some evidence of a general character was given regarding the expense of the Canadian patrol of seals on their Northward journey to the Pribilof Islands each spring, and the Committee wonder why this should be necessary on Canada's part, since the treaty itself only mentions specifically the United States of America, Japan, and Russia, the three countries owning the breeding grounds, as the parties to maintain such guard or patrol.

4. Regarding the destruction of salmon by the seal herd, although the greater part of the evidence seemed to point to little danger for our salmon fisheries from this cause, the opinion of the Committee is that our Biological Board or Fisheries Department should make further inquiry into this matter by the examination of a much larger number of seal stomachs secured from our own Indians than had formerly been investigated, so as to make certain what amount of salmon, if any, go to make up the diet of seals.

5. Although the co-operative sale of Canada's 15 per cent of the seal skins, along with those of the United States Government, and Japan's, through American channels for a number of years seemed fair and reasonably profitable under the then prevailing conditions, the Committee favour the present method of forwarding the skins to London for processing, and would, if practicable, prefer to see the treaty literally carried out by Canadian agents or authorities securing our allotment of skins on the Pribilof Islands in the first instance instead of at Seattle as at present.

6. The Committee commend this international instrument for what it has accomplished up to date and believe it should, with due consideration and action by our Fisheries Department on the additional suggestions here made, bring about still more satisfactory results in the future.

7. There appears to be no substantial reason why the agreement should not be continued on its present terms, or revised, if need be, on similar lines. The new suggestions made can all be carried out under the present arrangement by our Department of Fisheries.

HALIBUT TREATY

8. Your Committee, after hearing the evidence on the Pacific halibut fishery, are satisfied that the convention between Canada and the United States of America for the preservation of the halibut fishery of the North Pacific Ocean and Behring Sea, signed at Ottawa on the 9th day of May, 1930, has in the few years of its operation, already given proof of the gradual rehabilitation of this industry.

9. Halibut has become more plentiful as proved by the size of the catches and the shorter time necessary to secure the allotment under the regulations, so that instead of a gradual depletion as before the treaty's enactment, there is now a decided trend in the opposite direction.

10. All the international co-operation from the original International Commission of Investigation in 1917, leading up to the first Treaty of 1924, and then the subsequent more intensive, thorough investigation carried on under the direction of the International Commission, set up by the terms of that treaty, leading up to:—

- (1) Restriction of catches in various areas.
- (2) The abolition of fishing in nursery areas, together with the modification of the closed season, as set up in the present Halibut Treaty of 1930,

is commended by your Committee. In doing so, however, it expresses the hope that our Commissioners on the International Commission should always be men not only of scientific ability and experience, but also strong and active enough physically to carry out all their duties, both afloat and on shore. Personnel in this respect was emphasized as absolutely necessary for the future success of the work of that body.

11. It was shown that a large percentage of the fishermen and dealers in fresh and frozen halibut approved of the work of the Commission, and suggest even that its powers be increased under a revised treaty, so that it may be able to control the fishing vessels engaged in that industry; that the catch may be extended over the entire fishing season to the advantage of the fishermen's market and also benefit the consumer who would secure the product fresher over a longer period. As the voluntary method among the fishermen themselves failed in this purpose, your Committee recommend that the treaty be revised to the extent of granting to the Commission these additional powers.

12. If, and when, this Halibut Treaty comes up for revision, your Committee feel that although strictly outside its aims for the protection and maintenance of the fishing industry itself, the matter of markets for the halibut should be, if possible, included in the deliberations. Sharing the expenses equally for maintenance of the fishery should be followed, the Committee feel, by the sharing of markets also. If all tariffs were removed from halibut catches in both countries, the industry internationally built up scientifically on a fifty-fifty basis, could market the product economically on an equal basis also.

13. Your Committee also feel since the waters of Hecate Strait are Canadian, a revision of the Halibut Treaty should either exclude this area from its terms, or set a fixed and higher percentage of halibut caught in the various areas to Canadians for the privilege granted American fishermen to fish in Canadian waters.

SOCKEYE SALMON TREATY

14. The Sockeye Salmon Fishery Convention, between Canada and the United States of America, for the protection, preservation and extension of the Sockeye Salmon fishery in the Fraser River system, was signed on the 26th of May, 1930. The Agreement, although concurred in by the Parliament of Canada, has not as yet been accepted by the Senate of the United States. Your Committee regret the delay of four years—caused by the failure of the United States Senate to accept it—as they consider both its object and terms so reasonable and necessary for the industry, they would again recommend that our Government draw the attention of the United States authorities to the uncertainty and loss to this international industry, suffered by both parties, due to the delay on their side of the boundary line.

15. Although the salmon are hatched and reared in Canadian spawning areas, namely the streams and lakes of our Fraser River system, at the age of two years, or thereabouts, it was shown that they leave our river and shores and make for the ocean, where, for two years, little definite is known of their manner of living, but at maturity—or four years of age—in the case of the Sockeye, they return via the Strait of Juan de Fuca and the Gulf of Georgia to our Fraser River system again to spawn and die.

16. On the return journey, however, they pass through United States waters, and so become a harvest for United States fishermen with their traps and seines before they reach our territorial waters, and can be fished by our people. It is a definite problem, therefore, for the two countries if the fishery is to be maintained, protected and extended by joint propagation. Fishery interests of either country, by hostile, greedy, individual action might exhaust it commercially entirely. The Americans, by fishing freely all the time, could largely stop the fish before they reached the Fraser on their return journey, or Canadians, by stopping escapement to the spawning areas, or deliberately destroying them altogether.

17. Under present arrangements, although no such destructive actions are taken, probably partly because of the pending treaty, and reasonable sanity on the part of both people, still grave danger is present, and can only be met by some international agreement to prevent unrestrained competition, which can only lead to the destruction of our greatest fishery asset in the Pacific Ocean.

18. Not only would the Agreement prevent the depletion of the fishery, but the joint efforts to propagate the salmon under its terms would make it both a more profitable and permanent industry for the people of the two countries.

19. Definite evidence was given of a large run in 1930, and the argument drawn from it that the treaty was, therefore, unnecessary, but the runs over a long cycle of years have grown smaller, and serious dangers open to the industry's entire destruction, failing joint action seemed to be a stronger reason for making continued efforts to have the treaty ratified.

20. The salmon fishing interests in general, the evidence showed, looked upon the proposed treaty with favour, especially the 50 per cent portion of the annual catch Canadian interests were allotted by its terms.

21. Some evidence was also given the Committee that in the administration of the present instrument, if adopted, or in any other similar international agreement, consideration should be given to the gill net fishermen of the Fraser

River, who are very numerous, to see that their rights and interests were not subordinated to the users of seines, traps and other equipment.

22. Your Committee believe that the Biological Board, although accomplishing much good work under its present organization, and relations with the Fisheries Department, could do still better, and, perhaps, with greater efficiency and economy if more closely associated with the Department, so far as the staff is concerned.

23. Your Committee in two particulars went outside the matters strictly submitted to them for consideration, but they thought without harm in either case. One matter had to do with the propagation of "Sport" fish in our rivers and lakes. After hearing of the great success from efforts already taken in a few streams, they feel that the cultural authorities, both of the provinces and of the Dominion, should co-operate to push ahead with the survey of our inland waters, and the stocking of such lakes and streams as might prove suitable for such experiment.

24. In the other case, some evidence was submitted for sealing vessel owners for compensation because of losses sustained in 1892, when they were turned back at Behring Sea because of the renewal of the *modus vivendi* for two more years, although they claimed they knew nothing of its renewal before they sailed, and had insufficient notice that the arrangement had been renewed.

25. Your Committee merely submit the statements and documents filed under this heading for the consideration of the Government without making any suggestions regarding it.

26. As your Committee only explored the results of the three treaties submitted to them for consideration, and so many outside matters remain to be dealt with, not to mention the whole field of the Atlantic fisheries which were not touched upon at all, your Committee recommend that at the next Session of Parliament, a Standing Committee of the Senate be appointed to review the results on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of this valuable basic Canadian industry.

27. Your Committee desire to thank the officials of the Department of Fisheries for their splendid co-operation in all their work, and also thank those gentlemen from outside the service who appeared before them and gave freely of their special knowledge and experience.

All which is respectfully submitted.

H. H. HORSEY,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate Compromises and Arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (93), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian Farm Loan Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday, 26th June, 1934

Presentation of Pétitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Tuesday, 26th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Pope:—

19th June—That he will ask of the Government:—

The number of amputation cases on roll now being provided with limbs:
Chopart, symes, below knee, knee, thigh, hip.

Arms: Partial hand, wrist, below elbow, elbow, above elbow, shoulder.

Number of artificial limbs made and provided to veterans each month.

Number of artificial arms made and provided to veterans each month.

Give full report on number of legs and arms provided to patients in 1933,
and for compensation board.

Give average life of artificial limb.

Would the Government establish a standard artificial limb.

How many men are employed in making artificial limbs, and at what wage
per hour.

How many hours a day.

Are any of these men receiving pensions in addition to the wage.

How many officials are attached to the artificial limb department.

Total salaries paid per month.

Total costs of material each year.

How many sub-stations, where located.

Total cost of maintenance.

How many patients are provided for in each of these districts, are they per-
mitted to supply outside patients.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Riley:—

21st June—That he will inquire from the Government:—

1. Is the International Joint Commission still in existence?

2. If so, where can one procure a copy of its Annual Report?

3. Who are the present Canadian Commissioners?

4. What emoluments do they receive, (a) as salary—each; (b) travelling expenses—each; (c) for subsistence allowance—each?
5. Where do they hold their meetings, and about how many a year?
6. Are there any entertaining allowances?
7. If so, how much?
8. If there are no yearly reports since the late T. Chase Casgrain has resigned as President, is it the intention to have an Annual Report to present to Parliament, giving some information as asked above.

For Wednesday, 27th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.
2. When was construction work commenced.
3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.
4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and owing on the building.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 26th June, 1934

No. 1.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill 111), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Finance Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

21st June—Second Reading (Bill 112), intituled: "An Act to repeal Chapter four of the statutes of 1915."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

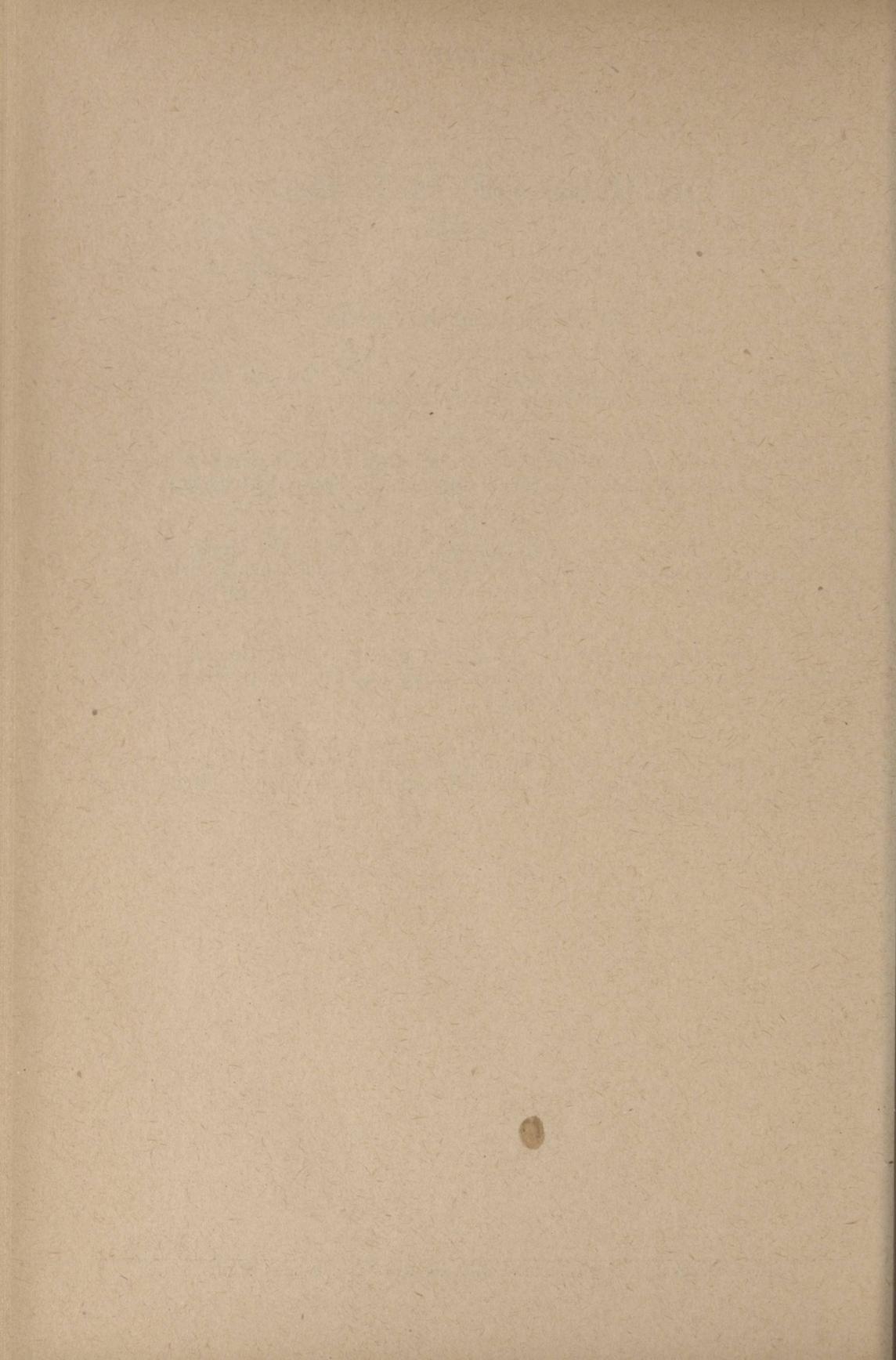
21st June—Consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to (Bill F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

21st June—Consideration of the Report of the Special Committee with regard to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters.—(Honourable Senator Horsey.)

No. 5.

21st June—Consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to (Bill E), intituled: "An Act with respect to Shipping."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)



No. 54

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Tuesday, 26th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Rainville,
Aylesworth	Graham,	McCormick,	Riley,
(Sir Allen),	Griesbach,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Beaubien,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Schaffner,
Béland,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Sharpe,
Bénard,	Hocken,	Meighen,	Sinclair,
Blondin,	Horner,	Michener,	Smith,
Buchanan,	Horsey,	Molloy,	Spence,
Casgrain,	Hughes,	Moraud,	Tanner,
Copp,	King,	Murdock,	Taylor,
Coté,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	Tobin,
Dandurand,	Little,	Planta,	Turgeon,
Donnelly,	MacArthur,	Pope,	White (Pembroke).
Foster,	Macdonald,	Prevost,	

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate Compromises and Arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 23. Strike out subclause (1) of clause 3 and substitute therefor the following:—

"(1) The Governor in Council may appoint an Official Receiver or Receivers in each county or district or for any number of counties or districts of any province to which this Act applies as he may deem necessary or expedient."

2. Page 6, line 11. For subclause (1) of clause 17 substitute the following:—

"(1) Notwithstanding the provisions of any other statute or law, whenever any rate of interest exceeding seven per centum is stipulated for in any mortgage of farm real estate, if any person liable or entitled to pay the mortgage tenders or pays to the person entitled to receive the money, the amount owing on such mortgage and interest to the time of such tender or payment, no interest shall after such tender or payment as aforesaid be chargeable, payable or recoverable in respect of the said mortgage at any rate in excess of seven per centum per annum."

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator White (Pembroke), from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the printing of Parliament, presented the following as their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, June 26, 1934.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament begs leave to present the following as a first Report:—

Your Committee has considered a list of the documents and papers laid on the Table of the Senate and the House of Commons, and recommends that 500 copies in English and 200 copies in French of Sessional Papers Number 114 and Number 114A, viz:—

114. Final Return to an Order of the House of the 13th February, 1933, for a copy of all letters, telegrams and other documents, exchanged between any members or officials of the Federal Government and G. G. Serkau or any other person or persons in connection with the proposed exchange of Canadian cattle for Russian goods.

114a. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th February, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence between any member of the Government and Mr. G. G. Serkau or any of his associates in connection with the proposal to exchange Canadian cattle and hides for Russian commodities.

be printed for the use of the Senators and Members, and that the following list of documents and papers be not printed:—

21a. Detailed statement by services of appropriation accounts 1932-33 (Required by R.C.M. Police Act, Chapter 160, section 27, R.S.C. 1927).

32. Twenty-ninth Annual Report of the Board of Railways Commissioners for Canada, for the year ended 31st December, 1933.

34a. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many boats were originally purchased or built by the Government for the Government merchant marine.

2. What year the first construction contract was let.

3. When the fleet numerically was at full strength.

4. The total cost of the boats purchased and built.

5. How many boats the Government merchant marine still own.

6. How many were sold during each of the following years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933.

7. What price they brought.

41a. Order of the House for a Return showing:—

1. What dividends have been declared by the Trust and Loan Companies making returns to the Government during the years 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1933.

2. Names of such companies and what per cent upon its capital each company declared as a dividend during each of the above years.

44. The Joint Librarians of Parliament have the honour to submit their report on the Library for 1933.

45. Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Canadian Chartered Banks, in accordance with R.S.C., chapter 12, section 114.

46. Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Quebec Savings Banks, made in accordance with R.S.C., chapter 14, section 59.

47. List of Shareholders in the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of Canada as on December 31, 1933, in accordance with R.S.C., chapter 12, section 114.

48. Lists of Shareholders in Quebec Savings Banks, made in accordance with R.S.C., chapter 14, section 58.

49. Statement of expenditure from the appropriation for unforeseen expenses, Vote 234, Appropriation Act, 1933-34.

51. Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the National Battlefields Commission for the year ended March 31, 1933.

52. Report of the Federal District Commission and Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the same for the year ended March 31, 1933, under the provisions of the Statutes of Canada, 1926-27, chapter 55, sections 15 and 16.

53. Statement of superannuation and retiring allowances to Civil Servants during the year ended December 31, 1933, under the Civil Service Superannuation and Retirement Act, R.S.C., 1906, chapter 17, section 25 (a).

54. (A) Statement of allowances granted to Civil Servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1933—R.S.C., chapter 24, section 14.

(B) Statement of allowances granted to dependents of Civil Servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1933—R.S.C., chapter 24, section 14.

(C) Statement showing amount of contributions and payments under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1933—R.S.C., chapter 24, section 14.

55. Copy of Report of positions excluded under the provisions of section 59 from the operation of the Civil Service Act, chapter 22, R.S.C., 1927, from October 1, 1932, to December 31, 1933.

56. Statement of accounts in connection with the Civil Service Insurance Fund for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1933, in pursuance of section 21, chapter 23, R.S.C., 1927.

57. Statement of Returned Soldiers' Insurance, for the year ended March 31, 1933.

64. Detailed statement of all bonds and securities registered in the Department of the Secretary of State of Canada, since last return, submitted to the Parliament of Canada under section 32 of chapter 164 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927.

66. Ordinances in the Northwest Territories passed in accordance with provisions of Revised Statutes, 1927, chapter 142, section 13.

69a. Copy of Auditors' Report on the Financial Statement of the Canadian Farm Loan Board for the year ended March 31, 1933—R.S.C., chapter 66, s. 14.

70. Statement respecting seed grain and relief indebtedness under the provisions of section 2, chapter 51, 17 George V, intituled: "An Act respecting certain debts due the Crown," for the year 1933.

71. Regulations under "The Destructive Insect and Pest Act," pursuant to section 10, chapter 47, R.S.C., 1927.

72. Return showing the number of permits granted to take intoxicants into the Northwest Territories for the calendar year ending 1st January to 31st December, 1933, in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Statutes 1927, chapter 142, section 93.

73. Return showing all lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company during the year ended 30th September, 1933, together with the names of the purchasers, in accordance with 49 Victoria, chapter 9, section 8.

74. Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for Sick and Distressed Mariners for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1933.

75. Statement in respect to the Public Works Health Act, chapter 91, section 5, R.S.C., 1927.

Statement *re* regulations under Section 6, Pensions and National Health Act, Chapter 39, 18-19 George V.

77. Report of Work done and Expenditures made during the calendar year 1933, in connection with Acts (Chapters 19 to 21 inclusive, Chapter 25, Chapters 28 to 30 inclusive, and Chapters 32 to 36 inclusive, of 19-20 George V, and Chapter 24, of 22-23 George V), respecting construction of Canadian National Railway Lines.

78. Statement in respect to regulation made under the Proprietary or Patent Medicines Act, chapter 151, R.S.C., 1927.

79. Return of leases of wharves, piers and breakwaters of the year 1933.

80. Summary of harbour dues for the calendar year 1932.

81. Summary Statement of wharfage revenue for year 1932-33.

82. Copy of the Radio Regulations concerning the International Convention for the safety of Life at Sea.

Amendment to the Radio Regulations—amateur experimental stations, under the provisions of Section 5 of the Radio-telegraph Act (C. 195, R.S.C., 1927).

82b. He also laid before the House,—Amendment to the Radio Regulations—Form W. 19—Ship Licence, under the provisions of Section 5, Chapter 195, R.S.C., 1927.

84a. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of "The Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931," and "The Unemployment and Farm Relief Continuance Act, 1932" (Tabled January 26.)

84b. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933. (Tabled January 26.)

84c. Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933. (Tabled February 1.)

84d. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, and Continuance Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933. (Tabled February 2.)

84e. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 7.)

84f. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 9.)

84g. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 13.)

84h. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 15.)

84i. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 16.)

84j. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 19.)

84k. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 20.)

84l. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 22.)

84m. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 26.)

84n. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled February 28.)

84o. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, and Continuance Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 1.)

84p. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 5.)

84q. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 7.)

84r. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 8.)

84s. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, and Continuance Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 13.)

84t. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, and Continuance Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 15.)

84u. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 19.)

84v. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 20.)

84w. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933.—(Tabled March 23.)

84x. Statements concerning expenditures by the Federal Government, by provinces, under the various Relief Acts.

Statement of loans and advances to provinces since 1930.

Statement showing numbers of heads of families, dependents, and others reported by provinces as receiving direct relief, by months, from January, 1933, to February, 1934, inclusive.

Statement respecting the unemployed in trade unions.—(Tabled March 23.)

84y. Statement of description and location of works undertaken in the County of Charlevoix-Saguenay.—(Tabled March 23.)

84z. Statements and memoranda concerning works and relief measures undertaken under the various Relief Acts, as follows:—

Copies of reports of the Auditor General (twenty in number) respecting audit of expenditures made under the provisions of the various Relief Acts for relief measures undertaken by the various provinces since 1930.—(Tabled March 23.)

84aa. Copy of report of the Auditor General re Investigation of Unemployed Relief payments in the Province of Saskatchewan. (Tabled March 26.)

84bb. Statements, memoranda and Orders in Council, concerning works and relief measures undertaken under the various Relief Acts. (Tabled March 26.)

Complete Texts of Orders in Council which were passed during the recess of Parliament and which were synopsisized in the Canada Gazette.

84cc. Statement showing the number of refunds made by the Provinces to the Dominion under the various Relief Acts of 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933.

Copies of Orders in Council, P.C. 2163, dated September 30, 1932, and P.C. 222, dated March 12, 1934; authorizing the Auditor General to conduct such audit of provincial and municipal accounts in connection with unemployed relief expenditures as he deems essential to safeguard the interests of the Dominion Treasury. (Tabled March 26.)

84dd. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933. (Tabled March 28.)

84ee. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933. (Tabled April 9.)

84ff. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933. (Tabled April 10.)

84gg. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1933. (Tabled April 12.)

84hh. Copies of orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled April 27.)

84ii. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 2.)

84jj. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 3.)

84kk. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 9.)

84ll. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 14.)

84mm. Copies of Orders in Council, passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 15.)

84nn. Copies of Orders in Council, passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 16.)

84oo. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 21.)

84pp. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 23.)

84qq. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the authority of the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 25.)

84rr. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, and Continuance Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled May 29.)

84ss. Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1934.

Order in Council, P.C., 1125, dated May 30, 1934: accepting tender of Messrs. Needlecraft Mills Ltd., St. Hyacinthe, P.Q., for 15,000 pairs of trousers required for issue to men employed on relief projects operated by the Department of National Defence. (Tabled May 31.)

84tt. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the Relief Act, 1934, as follows. (Tabled June 5.)

84uu. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled June 6.)

84vv. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Relief Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1933, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled June 11.)

84ww. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, and Continuance Act, 1932, the Relief Act, 1932, and the Relief Act, 1934. (Tabled June 13.)

86. Statement showing appointments under the National Revenue Act, as amended in 1928, for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1933.

94. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th March, 1933, for a copy of all letters, correspondence, telegrams and report of the investigation into the dismissal of Willie Mainville, as postmaster of Grande-Vallee, Gaspé county.

95. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st May, 1933, for a Return showing:—

1. Number of post offices in the province of Quebec with an annual revenue of less than \$100.

2. The maintenance cost of each such post office.

95a. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th February, 1934, for a Return showing the total revenue derived from the 658 post offices in the Province of Quebec, specified, in Sessional Paper No. 95, dated January 26, 1934.

96. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th May, 1933, for a copy of all letters, telegrams and other documents in connection with the dispensing with the services of Norman Jollimore, mail carrier between Halifax and Lower

Prospect post offices, and the awarding of the service to J. Bernard Umlah of Terrence Bay from the 1st March of this year, and also with regard to changing the contract so that the services will be from Lower Prospect to White's Lake connecting with the mails from Upper Prospect.

97. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th May, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, petitions, reports and other documents in possession of the Government, respecting any change made since 1930 in the postmastership or in the location of the post office at Field, Ontario.

98. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 286, dated 18th February, 1933: authorizing the distribution of Fishing Bounty Payments for the fiscal year 1932-33, under the provisions of R.S.C. 1927, chapter 74 intituled: "An Act to encourage the Development of the Sea Fisheries and the Building of Fishing Vessels."

99. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 2607, dated 14th December, 1933: issuing licences to United States fishing vessels on the Atlantic Coast to purchase bait, ice, seines, lines and all other supplies and outfits.

100. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th May, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence, evidence, reports, and other papers and documents respecting the investigation recently held regarding the administration of relief funds at Glace Bay, Nova Scotia.

101. Return to an Order of the House of the 17th May, 1933, for a copy of all telegrams, letters and other documents exchanged since August, 1930, between the Minister of Railways, any official of his department, or between any other federal department and any official of such department, and any other individuals, public bodies, companies or associations, including the railway administration, respecting the repair shops of the Canadian National Railways at Joliette, the Joliette terminal, the contract relating to these shops and this terminal and all other matters connected therewith since August, 1930.

102. Copies of Naval General Orders promulgated and issued to the Canadian Naval Forces from 1st February, 1933, to 1st December, 1933, under the provisions of section 44, chapter 139, R.S.C., 1927.

103. Return to an Order of the House of the 27th February, 1933, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, requests, or other correspondence received since July, 1931, by the Government, or any of the ministry or officials, respecting the investigations held in connection with unemployment relief work carried out in Lake St. John county.

104. List of Leases, Licences, Permits or other authorities cancelled under the provisions of R.S.C. 1927, chapter 113, section 96.

105. Copies of the List of Land Sales and Leases cancelled by the Department of Indian Affairs from 1st September, 1932, to 31st December, 1933.

106. Statement showing the number of Enfranchisements under section 114 of the Indian Act during the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1933, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 98, section 113, of the Revised Statutes, 1927.

107. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th May, 1933, for a Return showing:—

1. Whether any official documents or publications of the Federal Government are issued in the English language only.
2. If so, how many such documents or publications there are.
3. Their titles.

107a. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Number of volumes, pamphlets, bulletins, circulars, folios, etc., published for distribution, in the English language, during the fiscal or calendar year 1933, by the following departments: (a) Department of Immigration; (b) Department of Mines; (c) Department of Colonization; (d) Labour Department; (e) Department of Agriculture; (f) Finance Department; (g) Public Works Department; (h) Department of Justice; (i) Department of External Affairs; (j) Department of Pensions and National Health; (k) Department of National Defence; (l) Department of Solicitor General; (m) Department of Secretary of State; (n) Department of Marine; (o) Department of Fisheries; (p) Department of Railways and Canals; (q) Post Office Department; (r) Department of National Revenue; (s) Department of Interior; (t) Department of Indian Affairs; (u) Auditor General's Department; (v) Department of Trade and Commerce; (w) different commissions, such as Radio, Civil Service, Railways, Tariff, etc.

2. Number of volumes, pamphlets, bulletins, circulars, folios, etc., published for distribution in the French language, during the years 1933, in the departments and commissions mentioned in question No. 1.

108. Statement of moneys refunded by authority of His Excellency the Governor in Council, under the provisions of Chapter 35, 22-23 George Fifth, being an Act entitled The Refunds (Natural Resources) Act.

109. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Cold Storage Act, Chapter 25, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, granting subsidies on account of public cold storage warehouses.

110. Return to an Order of the House of the 3rd May, 1933, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, petitions and other documents, in the possession of the Department of Agriculture, respecting the establishment of a restricted area for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis embracing the agricultural districts of Chicoutimi, Roberval, Charlevoix and Saguenay, from January 1, 1930, to date.

111. Statement regarding retirement of Thomas Mulvey, Esq., as Under Secretary of State of Canada pursuant to the provisions of Section 6 of the Civil Service Act, R.S.C., 1927, chapter 22.

112. A copy of all telegrams, correspondence, reports and other documents exchanged between the Dominion Government and the Quebec Government, in connection with the holding of the Imperial Economic Conference of 1932, at Ottawa.

112a. Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 20th October, 1932, for a copy of all telegrams, correspondence, reports and other documents exchanged between the Dominion Government and the Quebec Government, in connection with the holding of the Imperial Economic Conference of 1932, at Ottawa.

113. Return to an Order of the House of the 6th February, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence in connection with the demotion of R. C. Maxwell, former Surveyor of Customs and Excise at Port of Vancouver.

115. Copy of the Report and Proceedings of the Royal Commission appointed under the provisions of Order in Council, P.C. 1562, dated 31st July, 1933, to inquire into the operation of the Banking and Monetary systems of Canada, held during the year 1933 under the Chairmanship of the Right Honourable Lord Macmillan, P.C., K.C., of the City of London, England.

115a. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Total cost of the Royal Commission on Banking and Currency in Canada.

2. Amount paid as, (a) remuneration, (b) expenses, to the chairman, each commissioner, the secretary, the assistant secretary and the stenographic staff.

3. Number of copies of the report printed, and the cost of printing.

4. Number of copies sold and how much was realized from the sale.

116. Return to an Order of the House of the 29th March, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence, documents and resolutions, emanating from Ex-Service Men's Associations throughout Canada dealing with veterans' unemployment relief, and received by the Prime Minister, the Minister of Pensions and National Health or the Department of Pensions and National Health, from October 1, 1932, to date.

117. Also,—Return to an Order of the House of the 3rd April, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, Orders in Council and other documents exchanged between any member of the Government, or departmental official, and any other individual, corporation or association, since September 1, 1930, relating to the following subjects, (a) duty on fuel oil imported into British Columbia; (b) bonus, subsidy or subvention on the production of coal from the coal mines of Vancouver Island, British Columbia; (c) importation of British coal into British Columbia, and steps to deal with the situation thereby created; (d) proposed sale or leasing of the Canadian National Railway docks at Vancouver.

118. Return to an Order of the House of the 13th April, 1933, for a Return showing:—

1. What lawyers, of Vancouver or New Westminster, were engaged by the Government during the fiscal year ending 1932-33.

2. For what specific purpose each was engaged.

3. What respective amounts were paid by way of fees, emoluments or expenses to each of these lawyers so engaged.

4. Whether any amounts are still outstanding. If so, what amounts are yet to be paid.

118a. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th May, 1933, for a Return showing:—

1. What lawyer or lawyers have been engaged by, or on behalf of, the Harbour Commissioners of New Westminster, British Columbia, since October 1, 1932, and up to April 20, 1933.

2. For what specific legal work they were engaged.

3. What respective amounts have been paid for all legal purposes during the above mentioned month.

4. What respective amounts are still outstanding for any legal work done during the above mentioned months.

118b. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What lawyer or lawyers were engaged by the New Westminster Harbour Commissioners during the year 1933.

2. The various amounts paid for law services, by the New Westminster Harbour Commissioners during the year 1933, and to whom the various sums were paid.

118c. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th February, 1934, for a return showing:—

1. What lawyers, of Vancouver or New Westminster, were engaged by the Government during the year 1933, and January, 1934.

2. For what specific purpose each was engaged.
3. What respective amounts were paid by way of fees, emoluments or expenses to each of these lawyers so engaged.
4. What amounts, if any, are still outstanding.

119. Return to an Order of the House of the 1st May, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, petitions and other documents, in connection with the ferry boat service between Ile-aux-Coudres and Les Eboulements, in the county of Charlevoix, since the 22nd of August, 1932, to date.

120. Return to an Order of the House of the 3rd May, 1933, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, petitions resolutions and other documents exchanged between J. G. H. Duperron, president of the Delormier Independent Labour Club, of Montreal, and the Prime Minister of Canada and the Minister of Marine, respecting the manner in which direct relief is distributed in the city of Montreal, and protests against taxes imposed by the Rhodes Budget on sugar and other foodstuffs.

121. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 3rd May, 1933, for a copy of all documents, correspondence, letters, petitions and telegrams passing since September 1, 1932, between any member of the Government, or official thereof, and any other government, persons, or associations in connection with the request for the change in the regulations of the Meat and Canned Foods Act which was embodied in P.C. 206 passed on February 3, 1933, whether before or after the passage of the said Order in Council.

122. Return to an Order of the House of the 18th May, 1933, for a Return showing what amount was paid by the Government of Canada to Arthur G. Slaght, K.C., from and including the year 1926 to and including the year 1930.

123. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th April, 1933, for a Return showing a list of the names of all persons receiving a pension payable out of the consolidated funds voted annually by the Parliament of Canada; also showing, (a) the date when the pension was granted; (b) the date from which the pension became effective; (c) the nature of the services for which the pension was granted; (d) the annual amount payable in each case; (e) if a disability pension, the percentage of disability. Also a statement showing the total amount payable annually on the different classes of pensions paid by the Government of Canada, and the number of persons in each category receiving a pension.

123a. Return to an Order of the House of the 20th February, 1933, for a Return showing the number of persons employed by the Government of Canada who receive a pension from the Pension Board, in addition to their salary.

123b. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for 1. A statement giving the following particulars respecting reviews made during 1933 of dependents' pensions, separating the information as respects reviews made, from January 1, 1933, to September 30, 1933, and from October 1, 1933, to December 31, 1933, showing (a) the number of files reviewed; (b) at whose instance reviewed; i.e., Board of Pension Commissioners or Canadian Pensions Commission, Auditor General, Department of Pensions and National Health; (c) number of pensions reduced; (d) total yearly amount of reduction; (e) number of pensions cancelled; (f) total yearly amount of cancelled pensions; (g) number of cases in which suspension or partial suspension, withdrawal or reduction, has been made in order to recover an alleged overpayment of pension on the ground of alleged invalidity of marriage or absence of proof of marriage; (h) total yearly amount of such suspensions or partial suspension, withdrawals or reductions;

2. A statement giving similar information regarding disability pensions;
3. The number of cases in each class in which pensioner was given the opportunity to be heard in respect of such suspensions or partial suspensions, withdrawals or reductions;
4. The above information to exclude suspensions or reductions to repay previous lump sum payments or gratuities.

123c. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. How many war pensioners have had their pensions reduced during the year 1933.
2. Total amount of the reduction.
3. How many war pensioners have had their pension completely cut off?
4. Total amount involved.
5. How many ex-service men in receipt of war veterans' allowance have had their allowance reduced or totally cut off during the year 1933.
6. Total amount involved.

123d. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a copy of all papers, documents, correspondence, resolutions or protests emanating from any ex-soldiers association and addressed to any member of the Government, in connection with the appointment of members of the Canadian Pension Commission.

123e. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence and memoranda since January 1, 1933, between the Canadian Legion and the Minister of Pensions and National Health, respecting action taken or to be taken in connection with reviews of pensions or deductions from or suspensions of pensions to recover alleged overpayment of pensions claimed to have resulted from alleged illegal marriages.

123f. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence and memoranda since January 1, 1933, between the Canadian Legion and the Board of Pension Commissioners or the Canadian Pension Commission, respecting action taken or to be taken in connection with review of pensions or deductions from or suspensions of pensions to recover alleged overpayments of pension, claimed to have resulted from alleged illegal marriages.

123g. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence and memoranda since January 1, 1933, between the Minister of Pensions and National Health and the Board of Pension Commissioners or the Canadian Pension Commission, respecting action taken or to be taken in connection with review of pensions or deductions from or suspensions of pension to recover alleged overpayments of pension claimed to have resulted from alleged illegal marriages.

123h. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many sessions of quorums of the Canadian Pension Commission have been held since the appointment of the commission.
2. Where these sessions were held, and what members of the commission sat at each session.
3. Number of cases considered at each session and number of decisions favourable to applicants given.

123i. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What officials in the headquarters and in the unit staffs of the Department of Pensions and National Health are in receipt of pension at the present time.

2. Amount of pension in each case.

123j. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th April, 1934, for a copy of all instructions issued by and under the authority of the Minister of Pensions to the administrative officers of the Department of Pensions during the last twelve months.

124. Return to an Order of the House of the 25th May, 1933, for a Return showing the number of French speaking films returned to France during the years 1931 and 1932 after being refused by the provincial boards of censors.

125. A copy of Order in Council, P.C. 826, dated 30th May, 1933; together with report and evidence relating to the removal of ex-Judge Stubbs under the provision of section 31, subsection 2 of the Judges Act, chapter 105 of the Revised Statutes.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 562, dated 28th March, 1933; respecting the report dated 20th March, 1933, of the Honourable Mr. Justice Frank Ford relating to the complaints preferred against ex-Judge Stubbs.

125a. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th May, 1934, for a copy of all letters passing between ex-Judge Stubbs, or anyone writing on his behalf, and the Minister of Justice, or any of the officials of his department, with reference to a pension for the said ex-Judge Stubbs either before or since his dismissal from the bench.

127b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents, that may have been received from any member of the Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta governments, respectively, by any member of the Federal Government, during the past twelve months, with respect to the International Wheat Agreement, or the advisability or otherwise of coming to such an agreement.

129. Return of Skilled Assistants engaged under the provisions of Section 74 of the Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act, during the fiscal year 1933-34.

130. Statement of receipts and expenditures of the Royal Society of Canada for the year ended April 30, 1933.

131. Copy of correspondence respecting the resignation of the Hon. E. B. Ryckman as Minister of National Revenue.

132. Return to an Order of the House of the 18th May, 1933, for a Return showing:—

1. For what purpose the Canadian Government Steamship *Citadelle* was built.

2. Upon whose representations or requests this boat was constructed.

3. What type of boat was requested.

4. Who prepared the plans and under whose instructions they were prepared.

5. Whether the parties responsible for the representations or requests were consulted and their approval of the plans secured before this construction was commenced.

6. How tenders were called.
7. Who tendered and for what price.
8. Who the successful tenderer was.
9. What the price was.
10. What moneys have been paid to them to date.
11. Whether there were any extras. If so, what they were and what they cost.
12. Whether any work was done for private interests in the port of Quebec last fall.
13. If so, for whom and what amount was paid by these private interests for the services rendered by this boat.
14. Upon whose request this boat was transferred to the port of Saint John last fall and for what purpose.
15. While at Saint John whether any work was done for private interests.
16. If so, for whom, what payments were made by these private interests and to whom the moneys were paid.
17. Upon whose request the boat was brought back to the port of Quebec this spring, 1933.
18. For what purpose it was brought back.
19. Whether the Department of Marine or the Government has made any arrangements, tacit or otherwise, to do work for private interests in the port of Quebec.
20. If so, what they are—viz—for whom and what consideration.
21. Whether the Government has gone into the towing business.
22. If so, for what reason.

133. Return to an Order of the House of the 2nd March, 1933, for a Return showing:—

1. Cost of the public buildings owned by the state in the city of Ottawa.
2. Amount paid by the Government for the rental of privately owned buildings.
3. Names of individuals or estates receiving rentals with respect to buildings occupied by the Federal Government.
4. Amount paid to each individual or estate owning such buildings.

134. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 6th March, 1933, for a copy of all telegrams, correspondence and reports exchanged between the Federal Government and the Government of Quebec, respecting the refund of certain federal contributions made by virtue of the Unemployment Relief Acts of 1930 and 1931.

135. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th April, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence with the Department of National Revenue, the Civil Service Commission and the Minister of National Revenue or any official of the department, since 1930, in connection with the appointment of a sub collector of customs at the out-port of Shippegan, New Brunswick.

136. Return to an Order of the House of the 24th April, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence, reports and other documents bearing on the seizure of illicit liquor, alleged to have been found and seized on the property of Theodore Landry, of Miguasha West, county of Bonaventure, Quebec.

137. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Cost of translation of documents from French into English or vice versa, that the Secretary of State had done outside of his department during the year ending December 31, 1933.

2. Names of persons who did this work, and how much was paid to each person.

3. Who translated the Address of His Excellency the Governor General in 1932-1933 and 1934.

4. Who translated the treaty signed between Canada and the United States relative to the canalization of the St. Lawrence.

5. On what date the investigation took place, mentioned by the Secretary of State on January 29, 1934, and by whom.

6. Whether the investigators were familiar with the French language.

7. What administrative officers have been examined by the investigators, and were their opinions recorded.

8. If so, whether the Government will communicate these opinions to the House for discussion of Bill No. 4.

9. Whether the Prime Minister or other Members of the Government officially asked for, or received from the officials of departments, reports, complaints or recommendations concerning the translation from the different public services.

10. If so, whether these documents will be laid on the Table of the House before the discussion of Bill No. 4.

137a. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Names and salaries, respectively, of the translators in each of the departments of the Federal Government, also in the Senate and the House of Commons.

2. Whether these translators are subject to promotion rules, and whether they are expected to pass examinations for promotion.

3. If so, what the salary is for each grade and the maximum salary in each of the departments.

4. In each of the departments, how many technical translators there are, and the name and salary of each.

5. How many translators are allotted for the translation of Hansard; who they are and their respective salary.

6. Whether the Hansard translators are permanent employees, and, if so whether they are absorbed in the different departments when Parliament is not in session.

7. Hours of work of the Hansard translators.

8. For the translation of the speeches delivered during a meeting of the House of Commons, whether these translators start their work as these speeches are reported and corrected at the central bureau of debates, or whether they start the translation only the following day.

9. When these speeches, so translated, are sent to the Printing Bureau for the printing of the French edition, non-revised, of the debates.

138. Order of the House for a Return showing:—

1. The quantities of butter exported to Canada during years 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1933, by: (a) New Zealand, (b) Australia.

2. The prices of the butter each month during the above-mentioned years at the Canadian ports of entry.

3. The duties, dumping penalty or other taxation, imposed per pound each month of the above periods.

139. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many departmental reports were produced by the members of Government at the beginning of the present session.

2. How many of these reports were produced: (a) in the English language, and (b) in the French language.

140. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether the Government or one of its departments has a contract or contracts with the Canadian Airways Limited or one of its branches.

2. If so, the nature, the duration and the consideration of such contract or contracts.

141. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Amount of money expended by the Department of Public Works since August 1, 1930, on the departmental wharf at Port Daniel East, Bonaventure County, Quebec.

2. Whether tenders were called for this work. If not, why.

3. The overseer of this work, and whether he had any experience in such work previous to this appointment.

4. How much was expended, (a) in material; (b) in labour.

5. Whether the material was secured in the parish or county. If not, why.

6. Whether the material was purchased by contract. If not, why.

7. If by contract, who supplied the material and at what price.

142. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Names, ages and duties of all inspectors employed in Western Canada, since 1930, by the Health of Animals Branch, Department of Agriculture, showing the period each was employed.

2. How many of these are temporary employees, and how long such temporary employees have been employed.

143. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th February, 1934, for a Return showing the Gross Federal Collections at Prince Rupert, British Columbia, for the respective years 1928 to 1933, inclusive, (a) customs; (b) post office; (c) telegraphs; (d) fisheries; (e) income office.

144. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Postmasters on duty in the County of Témiscouata on August 1, 1930.

2. Postmasters on duty at the present time in the county of Témiscouata.

3. Postmasters dismissed in the County of Témiscouata for taking part in politics, since August 1, 1930.

4. At whose request each of these postmasters were dismissed.

145. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, requests and reports, concerning the appointment of Amédée Jean as postmaster at St. Antonin, Témiscouata county, Quebec.

146. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Since August 1, 1930, whether the Post Office Department awarded contracts without first calling for tenders.

2. If so, the names and addresses of the contractors.

3. The date and the amount of each contract.

4. For what purpose each contract was awarded.

147. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for the production of a copy of the album entitled "Forty Days in Canada," distributed by the Post Office Department.

148. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence and inspectors' reports, with reference to investigations held into charges made against the postmaster at Nash's Creek, Restigouche County, New Brunswick.

149. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 7th February, 1934, for a copy of Order in Council, if any, dealing with unemployment relief of permanent park residents in Prince Albert National Park.

149a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 7th February, 1934, for a copy of Order in Council P.C. 2358, 1932, and P.C. 52, 1933, and any other Orders in Council, in connection with unemployment relief of the single homeless men in Prince Albert National Park.

149b. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a return in tabulated form showing the amounts expended monthly for material and supplies for unemployment relief in Prince Albert National Park, from the inception of the camps to date.

149c. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a return in tabulated form showing the amount expended per month on unemployment relief in Prince Albert National Park, together with the number of men employed during each month, from the inception of the camps to date.

149d. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a copy of pay lists showing the moneys expended in wages or salaries to foremen, superintendents, inspectors and subforemen, in connection with unemployment relief in Prince Albert National Park. Such lists to indicate amounts paid monthly from the time the camps were established in the said park to date.

150. Return to an Order of the House showing what guarantees or loans or grants were made in the years 1931, 1932, 1933, and 1934, to persons, or private concerns or corporations.

150a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1285, dated June 28, 1933, and Order in Council P.C. 1526, dated July 27, 1933, guaranteeing certain advances to the Algoma Steel Corporation *re* manufacture of steel rails for Canadian National Railways.

150b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1076, dated July 2, 1933, guaranteeing advances to the bank to the extent of sixty million dollars, on behalf of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

150c. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1229, dated June 28, 1933, covering grant of \$13,439.28 to the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation, *re* interest on cost of steel rails for Canadian National Railways.

150d. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence interchanged between the Government of Canada, or one or any of its members, and one or any of the Canadian Banks, in connection with the guarantee given by the Government for the loan of \$60,000,000 to the Canadian Pacific Railway.

153e. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence interchanged between the Government of Canada, or any of its members, and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, or any of its officers, in connection with the guarantee given by the Government for the loan of \$60,000,000 to the Canadian Pacific Railway.

151. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. The names of all ship owners, or shipping companies, receiving during the calendar year 1933 from the Dominion Government payment for services originating either in Vancouver or Victoria, British Columbia, whether subsidized for a distinct service or receiving payment for carrying mail either on a flat rate or so much per unit.

2. The amount paid to each company.

3. Whether any of these owners or companies are required by the terms of their contracts to use British Columbia coal on their boats. If so, which, and whether they have adhered to such condition.

151a. Supplementary Return to an Order of the House of the 15th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The names of all ship owners, or shipping companies, receiving during the calendar year 1933 from the Dominion Government payment for services originating either in Vancouver or Victoria, British Columbia, whether subsidized for a distinct service or receiving payment for carrying mail either on a flat rate or so much per unit.

2. The amount paid to each company.

3. Whether any of these owners or companies are required by the terms of their contracts to use British Columbia coal on their boats. If so, which, and whether they have adhered to such condition.

152. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all letters, correspondence and other documents, and a copy of reports made on Charles Theodore A. Hart, formerly an employee of the Department of National Revenue, Income Tax Branch, concerning his activities as an employee of the Government in Drummondville, Quebec.

153. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th February, 1934, for a copy of all documents, correspondence and telegrams, relative to the breaking of the ice bridge between St. Angèle de Laval and Three Rivers, on January 19, 1934.

154. Return to an Order of the House of the 31st January, 1934, for a copy of all declarations, affidavits, telegrams, and other correspondence, in connection with the dismissal of Grégoire Lafrance, of Pointe Basse, Iles de la Madeleine, as a watchman of the lighthouse at l'Echourie, Iles de la Madeleine, and also relative to the appointment of his successor.

155. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, recommendations, reports, orders in council, in connection with the appointment of Mr. Jean Bruchesi, of Montreal, to a position in the Post Office Department.

156. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all the evidence and the report of the commissioner, in connection with the enquiry into the charges of partisanship against Eugene Anglehart, postmaster at Kelly, Bonaventure County.

158. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, evidence, and report of investigator, relating to the dismissal of the Postmaster at River Glade, New Brunswick, and appointment of present incumbent.

159. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Total amount paid by the Government of Canada to Mr. J. C. McRuer, K.C., of Toronto, for legal services rendered during the years 1921 and 1930, inclusive, (a) for services; (b) travelling expenses; (c) living allowances.

2. At what rate per diem Mr. McRuer was paid.

160. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What amounts were paid by the Dominion Government in each of the years 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933, for rentals, office space, storage, and other purposes, in the City of Vancouver, British Columbia.

2. To whom this money was paid, where each property is located, and for what purpose was such property each used.

161. Return to an Order of the House of the 10th May, 1933, for a Return showing:—

1. Number of civil servants, temporary or permanent, whose salaries are paid by the Federal Government, who were employed in Ottawa, August 7, 1930.

2. Number of civil servants, temporary and permanent, presently employed in Ottawa.

3. Number of civil servants in the departments at Ottawa, temporary or permanent, who resigned or lost their positions since August 7, 1930.

4. Number of Ottawa civil servants who were superannuated and receive a pension from the Government since August 7, 1930.

5. The total cost in 1932 of the pension or superannuation paid to this class of civil servants.

6. Number of newly appointed civil servants, temporary or permanent, working in Ottawa who were not in the employ of the Government on August 7, 1930.

7. Whether all such civil servants are British subjects.

8. If not, how many are not British subjects.

161a. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Total number of civil servants and government employees discharged and superannuated under the ruling regarding all employees 65 years and over.

2. The numbers discharged and superannuated respectively, in each department of the public service since the order came into effect.

3. How many persons 65 years of age or over, are still in the employ of the Government.

4. Names of the said persons, and in what respective departments of the public service they are engaged.

162. Return to an Order of the House for a Return showing:—

1. How much money was received by the Department of Marine, between May 1, 1933, and December 31, 1933, inclusive, for wharfage at the wharf at Campbellton, New Brunswick, and the one at Restigouche, Quebec.

2. The names of the vessels that paid said wharfage.

3. How much money was expended by the Government for repairs to the Ferry Wharf, Campbellton, New Brunswick, in each year from September 1, 1930, to December 31, 1933.

4. How much money was expended for repairs to public wharf at Campbellton, New Brunswick, from September 1, 1930, to December 31, 1933, and what the details are.

163. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all regulations regarding work on mineral areas from 1930 to date, in the Northwest Territories.

164. Return to an Order of the House of the 31st January, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many Japanese entered Canada from 1925 to 1934, and how many Chinese entered Canada during the same period.

2. What the immigration restrictions are with regard to Japanese and Chinese.

3. The Chinese and Japanese population of Canada.

4. The position of the Japanese and Chinese in Canada in regard to the franchise.

165. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of the Montreal Agreement relating to locomotive engineers and firemen, and also copy of the amendments to same.

166. Return to an Order of the House of the 31st January, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, tenders and other documents, relating to a call for tenders for work on Shippegan Wharf, Gloucester County, New Brunswick.

166a. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, calls for tenders and other documents, including a list of the names of the persons submitting tenders, in connection with the addition to the wharf at Shippegan, New Brunswick. Also a statement showing as to whether or not a contract was awarded, and if awarded, the reason for its being cancelled.

167. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Costs of repairs to wharf at St. Jean Port Joli, L'Islet County, during 1932 and 1933.
2. Who furnished the lumber and to what amount.
3. Who was the foreman in charge of the work and what amount did he draw in salary.
4. Amount paid to labourers and carpenters.

168. Order of the House for a Return showing:—

1. Amount voted last year for alteration or reconstruction work of the Isle-Verte wharf, Temiscouata County, Quebec.
2. Amount spent.
3. The names of the men who were employed on this work and the amount paid to each.
4. The names of those who supplied the materials required.
5. Amount paid to each, and for what material.

169. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Amounts of gold exported or which left Canada during the twelve months of 1933, (a) in bullion; (b) in coin; (c) any other form.
2. Amounts of gold shipped out of Canada during 1933 by the various banks, (a) in bullion; (b) in coin; (c) any other form.
3. Amounts of gold shipped out of Canada by the Dominion Government, during the above period, (a) in bullion; (b) in coin; (c) any other form.
4. Amounts of gold shipped during each month of 1933, showing the respective amounts shipped to the various countries.

170. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th April, 1933, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, memoranda and other documents passing between the Government, any member of the Government or any official thereof, and John I. McFarland, since September 1, 1930, relating to his position and activities as marketing agent for the wheat pools.

170a. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams and other documents, exchanged between the Department of Marine or any other Department of the Government of Canada, the Alberta Wheat Pool, the Pool Central Agency, J. I. McFarland, or any officials of the above companies and the Vancouver Harbour Commissioners, or any of their officials, relative to the re-leasing of Harbour Board No. 2 Grain Elevator for the crop year 1933-1934.

170b. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How much grain No. 2 Elevator has received and shipped during its operation by the Vancouver Harbour Commission for season 1933-34, until February 15, 1934.

2. Total cost of operating No. 2 Elevator from September 30, 1933, to February 15, 1934.

3. Amount for the following items: (a) payroll; (b) interest on investment; (c) sinking fund; (d) amount chargeable to superintendency and all overhead.

170c. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th May, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The amount of grain by variety and grade received into No. 2 elevator at Vancouver for the period, September 30, 1933, to February 15, 1934.

2. The amount of grain by variety and grade shipped out of No. 2 elevator at Vancouver during the same period.

3. The total quantity of screenings taken from the said grain during the same period, (a) regular screenings; (b) recleaned screenings; (c) refuse screenings.

4. To whom and at what price these screenings were sold.

5. The quantity of grain by variety and grade at present in No. 2 elevator.

170d. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th May, 1934, for a Return showing the amount paid by the Alberta Wheat Pool for the Vancouver Harbour Board's elevator, (a) in 1932; (b) in 1933; (c) 1934.

171. Report of work performed and expenditures made as of December 31, 1933, together with the estimated expenditures for 1934, under authority of Chapter 12, Statutes of Canada, 1929, construction by Canadian National Railway Company of certain terminal facilities with grade separation and other works at and in the vicinity of the City of Montreal.

172. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence and other documents concerning an application by Mr. Nere Robert for coal area in the vicinity of Scented Grass Hill, Great Bear Lake, Northwest Territories.

173. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of the complete file relative to the calling of tenders for the contract which has just been awarded by the Post Office Department for the transportation of the mail between the station and the post office of St. Charles de Bellechasse.

174. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of contract, correspondence and all reports relating to the awarding of a contract, which recently expired, for the delivery of mails on Route R. R. No. 2, Salisbury, New Brunswick, and all correspondence relating to the award of a new contract.

175. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether a contract has been awarded for work at New Carlisle wharf, Quebec.

2. If so, to whom and at what price.

3. The nature of the work and how much work has been done under this contract.

4. The amount in the main estimates and what it is intended for.

5. Who asked for this work.

6. Who the overseer is and how much has been paid him up to date.

176. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether tenders were called for supplies for the penitentiary at New Westminster during the year 1933.
2. If so, for what supplies.
3. What firms submitted tenders.
4. Who the successful tenderers were.
5. Whether any supplies are purchased without tenders being called for.
6. If so, what articles are so purchased and from what firms.

177. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. What increase has been made in, (a) national debt of Canada from December 31, 1930, to December 31, 1933; (b) the total railway debt of Canada from March 31, 1930, to December 31, 1933.
2. Since the tax on sugar has been in force, what revenue has it produced to the Canadian Government up to December 31, 1933.
3. The amount received by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers for mileage serving summons and attending court in connection with trial.
4. What officer or officers family had medical attention during period April 1, 1933, to February 1, 1934, and if admitted to hospital, what hospital, what amount was paid to same, the names of physicians attending and amount paid in each case.
5. The amount received from the local Government for local police work.

178. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Members of the Trent Canal Staff.
2. Their respective positions and salaries.
3. When they were appointed.
4. How many are engineers.
5. What members of the staff are furnished with, (a) rent-free house; (b) rent-free telephone; (c) fuel and light without charge.

178a. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What tonnage carrying freight passed through the Trent Canal from Lake Ontario to Georgian Bay during each of the years 1929 to 1933, inclusive.
2. What tonnage of other craft passed over this route during each of the same years.
3. Total costs of the Trent Canal detailed as follows: (a) constructions costs, repairs and betterments; (b) salaries of staffs; (c) settlement of drowned lands claims and costs of lands expropriated or purchased.

179. Return to an Order of the House of the 31st January, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What sums were paid for legal fees, and for what services rendered to any Department of the Government since September, 1927, to the firm of Kilmer Irving and Davis of Toronto.
2. Who are now, or were the members of the firm during that time.
3. What other law firms of lawyers resident in Ontario have received fees from the Dominion Government, and in what amounts, since 1927.

180. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th February, 1934, for a return giving a list of post offices in Nova Scotia whose net revenue is between \$200 and \$3,000. Also the gross revenue of the same classes of offices, with names of post offices and the figures set opposite each.

181. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of the report of the investigation held by the Canadian National Railways into the accident at St. Charles de Caplan, on the Gaspé line, in which the snow plow attached to the passenger train toppled off the trestle, causing the death of John Allard, engineer.

182. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of the complete file in connection with the cancelling of the contract dated April 29, 1933, for the distribution of the rural mail at La Durantaye, Bellechasse county, and relative to the request for tenders for a new contract.

183. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The name, headquarters, rank and salary of all land officers of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, in Prince Edward Island, for the period April 1, 1933, to December 31, 1933.

2. The total amount of monthly expenses for salaries, uniforms, stationery, rent, travelling expenses, car repairs, gasoline, new cars, etc.

3. What officer or officers' family had medical attention during the period, April 1, 1933, to December 31, 1933, and if admitted to a hospital, what hospital, amount paid to same, the names of physicians attending, and amount paid in each case.

4. The amount received from the local government for local police work.

5. The amount received by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers for mileage, serving summons and attending court in connection with trials.

6. The amount received from prohibition commission in connection with prohibition prosecutions.

183a. Return to an Order of the House of the 22nd February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The names, headquarters, rank salary, of all officers of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Sherbrooke, Quebec, for the period, April 1, 1933, to February 1, 1934.

2. The total amount of monthly expenses for salaries, uniforms, stationery, rent, travelling expenses, car repairs, gasoline, new cars, etc.

3. The amount received by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers for mileage serving summons and attending court in connection with trial.

4. What officer or officer's family had medical attention during period April 1, 1933, to February 1, 1934, and if admitted to hospital, what hospital, what amount was paid to same, the names of physicians attending and amount paid in each case.

5. The amount received from the local Government for local police work.

183b. Return to an Order of the House of the 30th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The total number of men engaged in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

2. How many of such men are Canadian-born.

184. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. In what department there is a secretary of the executive.

2. The name of each secretary of the executive, the date of his appointment and his salary.

185. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether the Canadian Pacific Company receives any subsidies from the Government of Canada in connection with its naval services in the Pacific Ocean.

2. If so, the nature and the annual amount of these subsidies, for each service.

3. How much this company receives from the Government of Canada for the transportation of the Canadian mail for each of its navigation lines in the Pacific Ocean.

4. Whether this company gives preference to the citizens of Canada in the employment of its officers, engineers, stokers, waiters, sailors, and other employees, of its navigation services in the Pacific Ocean.

5. If not, what will the attitude of the Government be in connection with the payment of the above mentioned subsidies.

185a. Return to an Order of the House showing what amounts were paid for the carrying of mails, by way of subsidies, contracts, grants or otherwise to, (a) the Canadian Pacific Railway; (b) the Canadian National Railways; (c) the Canadian Pacific Steamships; (d) the Canadian National Steamships, during the last calendar year.

185b. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether the Department of Trade and Commerce has a contract with the Canadian Pacific Railway for a service between Victoria and the west coast of Vancouver Island for the current year ending March 31, 1934.

2. Whether it contains a clause requiring them to carry the mail free of charge as stated in Hansard of March 2, 1934, at page 1241. If so, how it reads.

3. During the current fiscal year ending March 31, 1934, whether the Post Office Department has a contract with the Canadian Pacific Railway to carry mail for the same route at fifteen cents a mile. If so, how much has been paid them for such service for each month in the current fiscal year to date.

185c. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st May, 1934, for a Return showing amounts of money paid by the Government of Canada for carrying of mails, express, freight, and other railway services for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1934, to: (a) the Canadian National Railways; (b) the Canadian Pacific Railway.

186. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The estimated cost per acre for clearing land at Lac Seul, Ontario, for the purpose of raising the water storage capacity of Lac Seul.

2. What amount of money has been spent on the project up to December 31, 1933.

3. How many acres have been cleared up to December 31, 1933.

4. The salaries of the officers in charge of supervision and the wages paid to the labour employed on the work.

5. Whether the men are permitted to have a committee to make representations to the foreman with respect to conditions of employment.

6. Whether all supplies are purchased from the City of Winnipeg instead of from the surrounding district. If so, why.

7. The cost of potatoes laid down at Hudson.

8. The cost of oats laid down at Hudson.

187. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many, (a) regiments; (b) soldiers, have taken part in the military exercises at the summer camps at Saint John during the year 1933.

2. How many days each regiment remained at these summer camps, and the name of each regiment.

3. Of what military district each regiment forms part.

4. By what railroad each regiment or the soldiers was transported to the said summer camps.

5. Amount received by the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Canadian National Railways.

6. Total number, (a) of officers; (b) of soldiers, who have attended these military camps.

7. Amount paid in salaries, (a) to the officers; (b) to the soldiers.

8. Cost of each one of these camps, (a) in salaries; (b) for all other expenses.

188. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 21st February, 1934, for a copy of the order in council appointing Mr. Edgar Boutet as secretary of the executive to the Post Office Department.

188a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 28th March, 1934, for a copy of Order in Council, P.C. 2436, of November 29, 1933, respecting the appointment of Edgar Boutet as executive secretary in the office of the Postmaster General.

189. Order of the House for a Return showing:—

1. Whether the Government has completed the expropriation of the buildings erected in the square composed of St. James, Windsor, St. Antoine, and Cathedral streets, in the City of Montreal, Province of Quebec.

2. The names of the proprietors of the buildings expropriated in said square and the amount paid to each one of them.

3. Whether all the buildings acquired by the Government, to date, have been demolished.

4. If any of the buildings were not demolished, whether these properties were rented by the Government to a third party.

5. If so, to whom, for what period of time, at what rent or on what terms.

190. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th February, 1934, for a Return showing how many contracts have been awarded during the calendar years 1932 and 1933 to the Pacific Engineers, Limited, of Vancouver, by any department of the Dominion Government, including the Vancouver Harbour Commission, and what was the total amount of such contracts.

191. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence and other documents and reports made, concerning the dismissal or resignation of the postmaster at Oxdrift, Ontario, during the months of November and December, 1933, and January, 1934.

191a. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence and other documents, requests and reports, concerning the recent appointment of the new postmaster to the post office at Oxdrift, Ontario.

192. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of memorandums bearing numbers 48, 54, 56, covering the work which the Department of Colonization of the Province of Quebec proposed to have done in the parishes of St. Elzéar, St. Emile d'Auclair et St. Benoît de Packington, Témiscouata county, and which were sent to the Federal Government for approval on August 30, 1933; also copy of all the correspondence, reports, telegrams, petitions, concerning the said work.

193. Return to an Order of the House of the 31st January, 1934, for a return showing a copy of all pay rolls and amounts of money disbursed, in connection with the work done by the Department of Public Works at Grande Entrée, Gaspé County, from July 30, 1930, to the present date.

194. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, documents, requests for tenders, tenders, reports, plans and estimates, concerning the reconstruction of a wharf at Petit Cap, between St. Maurice and Rivière-aux-Renards, Gaspé County, Quebec.

195. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of pay lists and accounts for material for work done by the Department of Public Works on the departmental wharf at Shigawake, Quebec, since August, 1930.

196. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, tenders, engineers' reports, estimates in full, together with a detailed statement of pay lists of each person employed; also of all material purchased, giving the names of parties from whom the material was purchased; also the amount paid to each person for truckage, etc.; also the amount paid to the foreman and inspector, in connection with the repairs to the breakwater at Little Sands, King's County, Prince Edward Island.

197. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether tenders were called for the supply of door sets to the Dundurn, Saskatchewan, Unemployment Relief Camp.

2. The quantity required.

3. The tenderers.

4. Price submitted by each tenderer.

5. To whom the contract was awarded and at what price.

198. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st February, 1934, (1) for a copy of all Government pay lists in connection with work done by the Public Works Department at the wharf, or breakwater of Petite Rivière au Renard, Gaspé County, during the year 1931-32, under superintendent of works, Charles Bernatchez; (2) for a copy of all pay lists in connection with work done on the wharf of Rivière au Renard, during the winter of 1933, under superintendent of works, Anthime Dufresne.

198a. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all pay lists, in connection with works carried out at the wharf at Petite Rivière au Renard, county of Gaspé, during the years 1931 and 1932. Also a copy of vouchers respecting purchases of lumber, iron, and other materials in connection therewith.

199. Return to an Order of the House of 5th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What sums were expended annually by the Federal Government for fisheries since 1900 to 1933, inclusive, excluding the salaries of the federal employees.

2. In what manner and for what purpose these different sums were expended each year.

200. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of pay list and accounts for material, in connection with work done at Augustin Poirier wharf at St. Simeon de Bonaventure, under supervision of Jean Bugold, in 1933.

201. Partial Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, tenders, contracts and other documents, relating to the leasing of the Government elevator at Prince Rupert, British Columbia.

201a. Final Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, tenders, contracts, and other documents, relating to the leasing of the Government elevator at Prince Rupert, British Columbia.

202. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th March, 1934, for a copy of all telegrams, correspondence, reports, memorandums and other documents, in the possession of the Post Office Department or any other federal department, in connection with the carrying of the mails on Rural Route No. 2, Saint Hyacinthe, in 1933, including the different tenders which the Post Office Department received in connection with this route.

203. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Right Honourable R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister, and Mr. Geo. C. Vaudrin, in connection with the Vaudrin plan and the means to solve the crisis of unemployment, from the first of January, 1933, to the present day.

203a. Final Return to an Order of the House of the 19th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Right Honourable R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister, and Mr. Geo. C. Vaudrin, in connection with the Vaudrin plan and the means to solve the crisis of unemployment, from the first of January, 1933, to the present day.

204. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, documents, tenders, and any other papers, on file in the Post Office Department, for the years 1932 and 1933, concerning the calling for new tenders, or the awarding of same, with the names of the tenderers and the amounts of the tenders, for the mail route between Wycocmagh and South West Margaree, Nova Scotia.

205. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. The custom tariff on mixed chemical fertilizers imported from the United Kingdom and the United States.

2. Custom tariff on non-mixed chemical fertilizers imported from the United Kingdom and the United States.

3. Quantity of non-mixed chemical fertilizers imported from the United Kingdom.

4. Quantity of mixed chemical fertilizers imported from either the United States or the United Kingdom.

206. Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 25th April, 1933, for a return showing:—

1. (a) What was the total amount paid by the Government of Canada in salaries to both the inside and outside Civil Service, including all Boards and Commissions financed by the Government, for the year ending March 31, 1933; (b) what saving effected in the same salaries by the ten per cent reduction?

2. What was the total amount paid by the Government of Canada in pensions for War Service in the fiscal year ending March 31, 1933.

207. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th March, 1934, for a return showing the expenditures on the public wharf at Isaac's Harbour, Nova Scotia, during the years 1932 and 1933, with a copy of accounts, pay rolls and other documents.

208. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Amount of loans sold by the Federal Government in the following years: 1918-19-20-21-22-23-24.

2. Price of issue in each year.
3. Rate of interest in each year.
4. Yield to the investor in each year.
5. Cost of flotation in each year.

209. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

Referring to the statement tabled by the Honourable Minister of Finance on February 26th, containing the statement that 278 employees had been added to the staff of the Bureau of Statistics during the year ending March 31, 1933.

1. Whether those employees were appointed by the Civil Service Commission.

2. If so, whether the Civil Service Commission followed the list of eligibility according to rank of candidates.

210. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Names, date of appointment and rank on eligible list of all clerks, Grades I and II who have been appointed to the public service during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1933.

2. Whether the Civil Service Commission has offered any successful candidate for Grade II position the chance of accepting appointment in any Grade I position.

3. Whether the order of merit and rank is strictly followed by the Civil Service Commission in making appointments from the eligible lists available.

211. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Whether the Civil Service Commission advertised an examination under No. 22855, during the month of September last, for a promotion to the position of assistant senior egg inspector for the Province of Quebec.

2. Whether this position should be filled by a bilingual person.

3. The candidates who made application to take part in this examination.

4. Where and when the examinations were held.

5. Whether the Civil Service Commission appointed Mr. A. R. Hedgecoe to fill the position of assistant senior egg inspector for the Province of Quebec.

6. If so, on what date.

7. Who recommended Mr. A. R. Hedgecoe.

8. Whether Mr. A. R. Hedgecoe is bilingual.

212. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 12th March, 1934, for a copy of all letters or communications, passing between the Minister of the Interior, or any of his officials, and any member of the Manitoba Government or the Manitoba Liquor Commission, with reference to the granting of a licence for selling beer in Riding Mountain Park.

213. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Grand total of asbestos exportations, year by year, since 1928 to date.

2. Annual exportations of this mineral product since that date.

3. To which countries these exportations were made.

4. Average annual cost of these exportations.

214. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. In what countries Canada maintains trade commissioners and/or agents.

2. Total trade of Canada with each of these countries in 1933.

3. Cost to Canada in maintaining each of these commissioners and agents in: (a) salaries; (b) other expenses.

215. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Amount of treasury bills sold by the Federal Government in the following years: 1918-19-20-21-22-23-24.
2. To whom they were sold in each year.
3. Rate of interest carried in each year.

216. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Whether a contract was awarded on January 6, 1933, by the Vancouver Harbour Commissioners for extension to Lapointe Pier.
2. Whether tenders were called for this work. If so, from whom tenders were received and the amounts of each tender.

217. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

Referring to answer to a question of Mr. Duff, pages 756-7, unrevised Hansard: Total passes issued in 1930 were 744,480. Passes issued to dependents of Members, Senators, Government Employees and Press were given as 11,078.

1. Number issued to each of the four classes mentioned immediately above by each railway company in 1930.
2. Number of passes issued to the same classes by each railway in 1933.
3. Number of passes under the classification "other trip passes," mainly to railway employees and dependents issued in 1933.
4. Whether applications for dependents passes have to be filled in in a form similar to that required for Members and Senators.

218. Return showing:—

1. What was the value in money of the imports to Canada yearly from 1867 to 1933, both inclusive?
2. What was the value in money of the exports from Canada during the same period?
3. What was the exodus in number yearly from Canada to the United States in the same period?

219. Return to an Order of the House of the 15th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many copies of "Canada, 1934" were printed.
2. Total distribution.
3. Of this total, how much was in bulk sales and how much in individual distribution.
4. Whether the price for bulk sales is the same as for individual copies; namely 25 cents each.
5. What it cost the Dominion Bureau of Statistics to prepare and publish this booklet, and how this cost compares with receipts.

220. Return to an Order of the House of the 7th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Number of deputy ministers, including persons with the rank of deputy minister, in the public service of Canada.
2. Number of deputy ministers retired since August 7, 1930.
3. Number of deputy ministers who have died since August 7, 1930.
4. Total amount paid annually, or to be paid on termination of retiring leave, as annuities to deputy ministers retired since August 7, 1930.
5. Total annual salaries, including deductions, paid to the deputy ministers appointed to replace those retired since August 7, 1930.

- 222.** Return to an Order of the House of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, inquiries, affidavits and official reports, in the possession of the Post Office Department, in connection with the resignation of notary Amédée Dugas as postmaster of St. Jean-de-Matha in the county of Joliette, and the appointment of his successor, Léopold Marcell, since the month of August, 1930.
- 223.** Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 605, dated March 23, 1934: respecting the reference to the Supreme Court of Canada of certain questions affecting the Tariff Board Act.
- 223a.** Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 741, dated April 9, 1934, amending Order in Council 605, dated March 23, 1934, referring certain questions respecting the jurisdiction of the Tariff Board to the Supreme Court of Canada.
- 223b.** Reports and Proceedings of the Tariff Board under Part I of the Tariff Board Act, 1933, upon eleven references made to it by the Minister of Finance, viz: Salt Cake; Collodion; Jute Yarns and Twines; Canvass of Flax or Hemp; Red Telegage Liquid; Jewellery Findings; Bronze Powders; Firearms; Sail Cloth of Egyptian Cotton; Bases of Alabaster Glass; Button Blanks.
- 223c.** Reports and Proceedings of the Tariff Board under Part I of the Tariff Board Act, 1933, upon three references made to it by the Minister of Finance, viz: Ripe Figs in Syrup; Rockgas; Nicotine Sulphate.
- 223d.** Report and Proceedings of the Tariff Board under Part I of the Tariff Board Act, 1933, upon a reference made to it by the Minister of Finance, viz: Fruits and Vegetables.
- 223e.** Interim Report and Proceedings of the Tariff Board under Part I of the Tariff Board Act, 1933, upon a reference made to it by the Minister of Finance, viz: Wool Textiles.
- 223f.** Reports and Proceedings of the Tariff Board under Part I of the Tariff Board Act, 1933, upon a reference made to it by the Minister of Finance, viz: Nursery Stock; and Interim Reports and Proceedings upon three references made to it by the Minister of Finance, viz: Hats and Hoods; Cellulose Acetate Yarn; Artificial Silk Thrown Yarn.
- 223g.** Interim Report and Proceedings of the Tariff Board under Part I of the Tariff Board Act, 1933, upon a reference made to it by the Minister of Finance, viz: Hookless Fasteners.
- 224.** Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence which passed between the Government of Prince Edward Island and the Federal Government, in connection with old age pensions, including a copy of the agreement entered into by the province and the Federal Government with respect to this matter.
- 225.** Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 19th March, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Honourable W. A. Gordon, Minister of Labour, and the Attorney General of the Province of Quebec, the Honourable L. A. Taschereau, concerning the inquiry held during the years 1932-1933 by Fred McGregor, registrar under the Combines Investigation Act, regarding the importation and prices of English coal.
- 226.** Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a copy of all documents or accounts in the Department of Indian Affairs between the department and any person living in the Spiritwood District or elsewhere during the years 1933 and 1934 till the present time, in connection with the medical attendance given to the Withekan and Chitek Indian Reserves, located in the North Battleford electoral district.

227. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether the Civil Service Commission advertised a vacant clerkship, Grade 3, at the dry-dock at Lauzon, Quebec, in 1933.
2. If so, what persons applied for this position.
3. The rating of each such person.
4. Whether an appointment was made in connection with the filling of such position.
5. If so, who was appointed and upon whose recommendation.

228. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. What offices are rented by the Dominion Government in the City of Hamilton.
2. Who owns these buildings.
3. From what agent or agency they were leased.
4. When and for how long leases were made.
5. Amount of rent paid in each lease.

229. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 26th March, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, Orders in Council and other documents, in connection with the dismissal of Dr. L. R. Murray, medical representative of the Department of Pensions and National Health at Sussex, New Brunswick, and the appointment of his successor.

230. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a statement showing the export from Canada to the United Kingdom, both in weights and in money value of, (a) fresh salmon; (b) frozen salmon; (c) canned salmon, each shown separately, for the years 1929 to 1933 inclusive, each year shown separately, and showing whether exported from the Atlantic coast or from the Pacific. If the unit of hundredweights is used, indicate the pounds content, and use the same standard throughout.

230a. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many pink salmon were caught in district No. 1, British Columbia, after September 16, 1933, (a) by gill nets; (b) by seines.
2. Total number of cases of pink salmon canned after September 16, 1933, from fish caught in district No. 1, British Columbia, and (a) how many of these have been inspected; (b) how many were classed as second quality; (c) how many were classified as inferior to second quality.
3. Total number of pink salmon exported to the United States from the said district No. 1, during the season of 1933, and on what dates such shipments were made.

231. Return to an Order of the House for a copy of the report of Honourable Donald Sutherland on the tobacco inquiry made in 1933.

231a. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Whether the Government has received petitions asking that a tax of 20 cents per pound be levied on the sale of leaf tobacco.
2. If so, how many such petitions have been received.
3. How many persons in each province, made such a request.
4. How many persons, in each separate municipality, signed such petitions.
5. What manufacturers proposed or recommended the taxation of leaf tobacco.
6. Names of the municipalities whose municipal councils may have approved, by way of resolutions, the proposal to tax leaf tobacco.

7. Whether the Government has received petitions or resolutions from municipal councils protesting against such a proposal.

8. If so, how many.

9. How many persons, in each province, signed such petitions of protest.

10. How many persons, in each municipality, signed such petitions of protest.

11. Names of the municipalities whose municipal councils may have protested, by way of resolutions, against the proposal to tax leaf tobacco.

232. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. From 1922 to date, the annual expenditure for the automobiles of each of the ministers, including chauffeurs, gasoline, oil, and other expenses in connection with the upkeep of these automobiles.

2. From 1922 to date, the annual expenditure for the private railway cars of each of the ministers.

233. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Whether inquiries regarding political partisanship were held since 1930, respecting the following postmasters, Johnny April, of Gironde; N. Ouellet, of Lamy South; J. Michaud, of La Richardiere; M. Saint-Pierre, of Le Petit Bois-Franc; D. Lebel, of Montagne Ronde, Antoine Landry, of Notre-Dame du Lac; C. Saint-Pierre, of Pied du Lac; Andre Beaulieu, of Raudot; Joseph Viel, of Squatteck, and J. B. Plourde, of Sully.

2. If so, whether they were dismissed following such inquiries.

3. Upon whose request each of such inquiries was granted.

233a. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Whether inquiries regarding political partisanship were held since 1930, respecting the following postmasters: Edmond Levesque, of Couturier; Thomas Dube, of Denonville; Joseph Michaud, of Lamy; Alcide Beaulieu, of Packington; Omer Sirois, of Riou; Edmond Rioux, of St-Arsene; Charles Bosse, of St-Eusebe.

2. Whether each of the above-named postmasters is still discharging duties of such office.

3. If not, upon whose request and on what date each such postmaster was dismissed.

234. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of all pay lists, bills, vouchers and other documents in respect of work done, material supplied or money paid out, in connection with the work done during 1933 on the breakwater at Port La Tour, Shelburne County, Nova Scotia, with a statement showing the work actually done in 1933, and the sum expended and/or incurred therefor, and the work remaining to be done and the estimated cost thereof.

235. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th February, 1934, for a copy of pay lists and accounts for material in connection with work done on the Portage wharf at Paspébiac, Quebec, in 1933 and 1934.

236. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 24th May, 1933, for a copy of Orders in Council, P.C. 1947 and P.C. 1948, together with a copy of telegrams, cablegrams, letters and other correspondence relating to subject matter of said Orders in Council as at present on the files of the Department of External Affairs.

236a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents exchanged between the Government of Canada or any of its officers and the Minister Plenipotentiary in Tokyo, regarding the construction of a public building for the Canadian Legation at Tokyo, as well as a copy of the Order in Council authorizing the construction of said building, plans, specifications and contracts, and any documents in possession of the government having any reference to the construction of said public building for the Canadian Legation at Tokyo.

237. Copy of Report of the Royal Commission appointed by the British Government to examine into the future of Newfoundland and in particular to report on the financial situation and prospects therein (Cmd. 4480); together with papers, relating to the Report of the said Royal Commission (Cmd. 4479).

238. Return to an Order of the Senate showing:—

1. What was the salary of the Canadian Advisory Officer of the League of Nations and what are the other expenses of his office for the year 1932-33?

2. What were the total expenses of Canadian Delegates to the Assembly and all other meetings or conferences connected with the League of Nations during the year 1932-33?

3. What contribution did Canada make for publications issued by the League of Nations for the year 1932-33?

4. What was the total sum of money Canada expended in connection with the League of Nations for the year 1932-33, including the disarmament conference?

5. What amount of money, if any, Canada contributed to the Permanent Court of International Justice for the year 1932-33?

6. A statement resembling an Annual Financial Balance Sheet of the League, showing receipts and disbursements either for the year 1932 or 1933.

7. The total amount of money that has been collected by the League of Nations, the names of the States contributing same, and the amount contributed by each?

8. The basis of assessment for the States—members of the League—to meet the expenditures of the League and how is it determined?

9. A statement showing the distribution of funds received by the League of Nations and the amount paid to each branch or department of the League.

10. The total number of employees of the League including all Departments which receive support from the League with the number of employees in each department.

11. What percentage of the League's expenditure was contributed by (a) Germany, and (b) Japan, prior to their withdrawal?

12. A list of the members and the assessment in dollars paid by each member for the year 1932-33.

13. The names of the States—members of the League—who sent representatives to any Meeting of the League in the year 1933?

14. Of the nineteen States in arrears in their dues to the League as shown in return of January 31, 1933,—

(a) Have any of these States withdrawn from the League and, if so, what ones?

(b) Have any of these States paid their arrears and, if so, what ones?

(c) Have any of these States while in arrears attended and taken part in the deliberations of the League in 1933 and, if so, what ones?

15. If any state has been dropped from membership for non-payment of dues?

16. If any charges have been made during the year 1933 through the Contingency Votes of any Department in connection with the expenses of Delegates to the various overseas Conferences and Commissions and, if so, what Departments and the amount of money so charged to each Department?

239. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th March, 1934, for a copy of all contracts, letters, correspondence and pay lists, respecting the construction work performed in 1930, and the reconstruction or repairing of the retaining wall opposite the convent of the Grey Nuns, in the Abenakis Village, in the Indian reservation, county of Yamaska; also a copy of all reports of inspection respecting the acceptance, defects and renewal of such work.

240. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of all pay lists, bills, vouchers and other documents in respect of work done, material supplied or money paid out, in connection with the work during 1933 and 1934 on the breakwater at West Boccario, Shelburne County, Nova Scotia, with a statement showing the work actually done in 1933 and 1934, and the sum expended and/or incurred therefor up to the time the work stopped on or about January 20, 1934, and the work remaining to be done and the estimated cost thereof.

241. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a copy of all pay lists in connection with work done on the breakwater at Ste-Adélaïde de Pabos, Gaspé County, during the year 1933-34, and also copy of all letters exchanged between the Department of Public Works and any other person in connection with this said work.

242. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 9th April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, and orders in council, in connection with the dismissal of Xavier Cyr and the appointment of another postmaster, at Baker-Brook, County of Madawaska, New Brunswick, from September 1, 1930, to January 1, 1934.

243. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, and other documents in the possession of the Government, dated from August, 1930, to date, respecting the resignation of Georges Molloy as postmaster of Chandler Station, county of Gaspé, and the appointment of his successor.

244. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th March, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between Mr. A. J. Morin and any other person on the one hand, and the Post Office Department as well as the office of the Prime Minister, on the other, respecting the carriage of the mail to Pied du Lac, Boisvert, Les Etroits and Belanger Siding, county of Temiscouata, since 1930.

245. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Cost of operating the military camp at Petawawa during the years 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1933, respectively.

2. How much was expended for material and equipment, and how much for labour and allowances.

246. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Total exports from Canada to Great Britain for the fiscal years ending March 31, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934.

2. Total imports from Great Britain to Canada during the foregoing years, naming major commodities and amounts.

247. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. How many bags of onions were grown in Canada during the past ten years.
2. Rate of duty on onions imported, (a) from the United States; (b) from other countries.
3. Onions imported into Canada during the past ten years, and from where.
4. Onions exported from Canada, and to where.
5. Acres of onions grown in Canada each year since 1921.

248. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, evidence, reports and other papers and documents passing between any member or official of the Government and any other parties relating to the staking, recording, assessment work, or in any other way to the Albion group mining claims, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, in Kootenay Park, British Columbia, such return to cover the period from March 1, 1929, to date.

249. Copies of a Bill passed by the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec concerning lotteries for charitable and educational purposes, and a resolution respecting the same.

250. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Present Excise tax on cigarettes.
2. (a) When present rate of excise was set; (b) what it was prior to that.
3. Revenue raised from excise on cigarettes each year from 1912 (fiscal year), until March 31, 1934.
4. Cigarettes consumed in Canada each year from 1912 to 1934.
5. (a) Cigarettes legally imported into Canada during the foregoing years; (b) from where they came.
6. The import duty on cigarettes.

251. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Cigars produced in Canada during the fiscal years ending March 31, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934.
2. Excise Tax levied on cigars.
3. Revenue each year during the aforementioned years.
4. Total revenue in each of these years from the tobacco industry—all branches, enumerated.

252. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 9th April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, and Orders in Council, in connection with the contract to one Camille Azzard, of Green River, New Brunswick, for carrying the mails from Green River Station to post office at Green River, New Brunswick, from September 1, 1930, to date.

253. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Post Office Department and any of its officials, and the Canadian National Railways and any of its officials, regarding the handling and delivery of Gaspé Peninsula Mails at Matapedia, Quebec, and Campbellton, New Brunswick. Also a statement showing the additional cost incurred in the handling of such mails since the Gaspé trains have been run to and from Campbellton, New Brunswick.

254. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, evidence, reports and agreements between the Dominion Government, or the Department of the Interior, and A. B. Trites et al,

or Base Metals Mining Corporation, Limited, relating to certain mining claims in the Yoho National Park during the period between the 1st day of March, 1924, and date.

255. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th April, 1934, for a copy of all notices, reports, letters, classification sheets, decisions, memoranda, telegrams or other communications, and all other documents and memoranda in the possession of the Civil Service Commission or the Postmaster General, respecting the appointment of the present postmaster of the town of Beauharnois, County of Beauharnois.

256. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th April, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Names and addresses of men employed on the Burlington Channel bridge.
2. What hours they work and what wages they receive.
3. Whether the eight-hour day is in force on this bridge.
4. What wages are paid for similar work on the Welland Canal bridges.
5. Whether the eight-hour day is in effect on the Welland Canal bridges.
6. Whether the applicants for positions are examined by employees of the Public Works Department or by the Civil Service Commission.

257. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a Return showing amount of municipal bonded debt defaulted during the years 1931, 1932, and 1933, in each of the provinces of Canada.

258. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Number of persons on relief in Canada on January 1st, in the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, and 1934.
2. Number in each province on the same date in each of the above years.

259. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Grain elevator tariffs in effect for the crop year 1933-34 at, (a) Montreal; (b) Vancouver; (c) St. John; (d) Halifax; (e) Quebec; (f) Port Arthur; (1) for handling grain from cars or boats, (2) for shipping it out in cars or boats.

2. Whether any reductions on the grain elevator tariffs were put in effect for handling grain via any of the above ports during the crop year 1933-34.

3. At which of the above grain handling points Government grain elevators are operated by the Government or by a board under the Government.

4. At which of the ports mentioned in question No. 1 are grain elevators which have been constructed by the Government.

5. The full capital cost including grain galleries, and all grain loading equipment appearing on the books of the Vancouver Harbour Commissioners, chargeable to, (a) No. 1 harbour board elevator; (b) No. 2 harbour board elevator; (c) No. 3 harbour board elevator.

6. Whether any Vancouver Harbour Board grain elevators are leased to private grain firms.

7. If so, to whom they are leased, and the rentals per year.

8. Whether Vancouver Harbour Board elevators leased to private firms pay civic taxes on the same basis as property used for a like purpose and privately owned.

9. Whether the grain elevator tariffs covering Canadian ports are approved by the Board of Grain Commissioners.

10. Whether the Government or any governmental body has paid any civic taxes or any equivalent thereto on the Dominion Government grain elevator located at Port Arthur, Ontario.

260. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of the 19th March, 1934, for a copy of all documents, letters, reports of inquiry, Orders in Council, if any, reports to the Federal Government or to members thereof, reports to different departments, with respect to the case of Mr. Avila Blouin, of the city of Quebec, who was wounded during the war.

261. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th April, 1934, for a copy of all invoices of meats and packing house products, supplied by the contractor to the unemployment headquarters camp at Spences Bridge, British Columbia, between September 1, 1933, and December 1, 1933.

262. Return to an Order of the House of the 18th April, 1934, for a return of an itemized statement showing the particular undertakings which make up the expenditure of \$472,000 disclosed in the Auditor General's Report for 1933, Volume 2, M-8, for Public Works in Nova Scotia. Also an itemized statement showing the particular undertakings which make up the expenditure of \$390,000 disclosed in the Auditor General's Report for 1933, Volume 2, M-8, for Trans-Canada Highway.

263. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a copy of all contracts, letters and correspondence between the Minister of Public Works, the deputy minister, the engineers and officials of his department and all other persons, from 1930 to date, respecting the retaining wall along Tardif Channel, at Notre-Dame de Pierreville, county of Yamaska.

264. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Whether the Dominion Government, through the Halifax Harbour Commission, has purchased the plant of the Nova Scotia Public Cold Storage Company.

2. If so, what amount was paid for said premises and in what way the amount was paid.

265. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Amount of insurance carried on Crown Property under the control of the Vancouver Board of Harbour Commissions for the year 1933.

2. Total premium paid on said insurance.

3. With what companies the said insurance was placed, and the agents of the companies with whom said insurance was placed.

265a. Supplementary Return to an Order of the House of the 21st March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Amount of insurance carried on Crown Property under the control of the Vancouver Board of Harbour Commissioners for the year 1933.

2. Total premium paid on said insurance.

3. With what companies the said insurance was placed, and the agents of the companies with whom said insurance was placed.

266. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. The total amount expended by the Dominion Government for seed grain advances in Western Canada in the years 1918, 1919, and 1920.

2. How much of the said amount remains unpaid.

3. Whether it is possible for the Government to accept less than the full amount of principal and interest due on the said seed grain advances.

4. Whether the Government will insist upon the payment of the said seed grain advances.

267. Return to Order of the Senate, dated 17th April, 1934, showing:—

1. What is the estimated cost to the Dominion under the various treaties with the Indians, to extinguish their rights and interests in the lands described in such treaties?

2. In what provinces were or are these lands situated?

3. What annual amounts in cash and goods, are now payable under the terms of these treaties?

4. Were these lands, or any of them, later sold, and if so, in what manner and to whom?

5. What is the total amount received by the Dominion from the sale or disposition of these lands and what is the estimated cost of their administration?

6. Have all or part of these lands been transferred to the provinces, and if so, under what terms and conditions?

268. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. How many vessels were specially equipped for the export of cattle under the control of the Trade and Commerce Department within the last two years.

2. The names of persons or companies to whom such vessels belonged.

3. How much money was spent in each case.

4. To whom such money was paid.

269. Return to an Order of the House of the 28th February, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Names of the supernumerary employees who have worked in the maritime timber yards of Sorel during the months of September, October, and November, respectively, 1933.

2. From what county is each one of them.

3. Who recommended each one of them.

269a. Return to an Order of the House of the 8th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Number of employes, (a) permanent; (b) supernumerary, in the maritime timber yards of Sorel during each month of the year 1933.

2. Total amount of salaries which have been paid, (a) to the permanent employes; (b) to the supernumerary employes during each month of the year 1933.

270. Report of George A. Touche & Co., Chartered Accountants, dated March 15, 1934, on the financial accounts of the Canadian National Railway System for the year ended 31st December, 1933, under the provisions of Sections 13 and 15 of the Canadian National-Canadian Pacific Railways Co-operation Act, 1933, 23-24 George V, Chapter 33.

271. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd April, 1934, for a copy of all documents, letters, telegrams, correspondence, and requests, exchanged between the citizens of Isle aux Coudres, La Baleine district, and the Post Office Department at Ottawa, and at Quebec, respecting the contracts awarded for the carriage of the mail between Isle aux Coudres and La Baleine, from January 1, 1934, to date.

272. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence and other documents passing between the Post Office Department or any official thereof and any other person or persons during the year 1933 in regard to closing of the Gap View Post Office and changing of the mail contract, Forget, Gap View and Handsworth, to Stoughton and Handsworth.

273. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, reports of investigation and other documents, relating to the dismissal of the postmaster at Saint Louis, Kent County, New Brunswick.

274. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence and communications exchanged between the Provincial Government of Quebec, and the Federal Department of Indian Affairs, from 1930 to date, respecting the Indian reservation of Pointe Bleue, county of Lake St-John.

275. Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 20th March, 1934, showing:—

1. The total indebtedness of the ports of Montreal and Quebec, respectively, under management of the Harbour Commissioners.

(a) The amount spent by such authorities, respectively, on improvements, upkeep, maintenance, overhead and borrowing charges during the last ten years.

(b) If any of these capital charges have been liquidated—how much, by whom and when?

(c) If interest charges have not been paid in full, how much has been unpaid in respect to each port and if the Dominion Government paid any portion of such interest charges, how much did the Government pay in respect to each port?

2. The number of grain elevators between the head of the Lakes, to and including the City of Quebec, owned respectively by the Dominion Government, Harbour Commissioners or subsidized by the Dominion Government.

(a) The name and description of each such elevator and the cost, expense of annual maintenance, upkeep and overhead.

3. The total expenditure from all sources for dredging reclaiming works on the St. Lawrence River between the eastern end of the Lachine Canal, Montreal, to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.

(a) The amount supposed to be expended for the year 1934 by all Government Departments for dredging on the St. Lawrence River from Lake Ontario to the Gulf of the St. Lawrence.

(b) The number and value of dredges with auxiliaries owned or operated under Dominion Government control.

(c) The annual cost of maintenance, upkeep, operation and repair of such dredges during each of the last ten years.

4. The number and value of ice-breaking vessels operated by the Dominion Government between the head of the Lakes and Sydney, N.S.

(a) The approximate cost of operating, maintenance, upkeep and repair of such vessels during each of the last ten years.

5. The number of vessels, including ice-breakers, operated between Lake Ontario to and including the Lower St. Lawrence between October and December 31, 1933, for the purpose of keeping the ports of the St. Lawrence River open for navigation, looking after aids to navigation and other services.

(a) The total cost for the above period.

(b) Whether the Dominion Government paid the whole of such cost. If not, how much of it did the Government pay?

(c) Whether shipping contributed to the cost of such services and, if so, how much?

6. The number of shipping accidents on the St. Lawrence River during the fiscal year 1933-34.

(a) The number of such accidents which were major casualties.

(b) The number of ocean and coasting vessels ready to proceed to sea that failed by reason of weather conditions to depart from the St. Lawrence River.

(c) The number of such vessels still in Canada.

7. The approximate value of lighthouses, lightships and other aids to navigation including radio aids and buoy boats, but not including dredges and ice-breakers on the St. Lawrence.

(a) The cost of operating, maintaining and upkeep generally of the above during the last ten years.

8. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Churchill in 1933.

9. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Montreal in 1933.

10. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Saskatoon to Fort William in 1933.

11. The rate of railway freight charges per bushel on wheat from Fort William to Montreal in 1933.

12. The water rate charges on wheat per bushel via St. Lawrence Waterways to Montreal from Fort William between 1923 and 1934.

276. Return to an Order of the House showing amounts expended in the Abenakis reservation, county of Yamaska, in each of the following years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, in respect of, (a) medical care; (b) hospital costs; (c) relief; (d) for other purposes.

276a. Order of the House for a Return showing:—

1. What sums were expended on and for the Abenakis reservation at Adonak, county of Yamaska, in the years 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, and 1929, in connection with medical care, hospital charges, relief, and other outlays.

2. What amounts were granted to the municipality of the Village of Pierreville in 1930 and 1931 under the terms of the Direct Relief Act.

3. Who benefited by such relief measures, and what amount was expended in each case.

4. What merchants filled relief orders, and the aggregate in the case of each merchant.

277. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. Whether the Civil Service Commission advertised competitive examinations for the position of letter carrier in the Post Office Department, from June 1, 1931, to May 1, 1934.

2. If examinations were held in respect of such position, on what date the examinations for the district of Montreal were held.

279. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 5th March, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, and other documents exchanged between the Department of Labour, Ottawa, or any officer of the Department, and the Department of Public Works and Department of Highways of Quebec, or any other public board of Megantic County, such as city councils, or municipal councils, or any officer writing for these municipalities, or for himself, regarding work to be done in County of Megantic under the Gordon-Francoeur agreement.

280. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 28th March, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence since September 23, 1926, between any of the Governments of the Maritime Provinces or any Premiers, Ministers or departments in such governments, and the Government of the Dominion of Canada, or any Prime Minister, Minister or department in such Government, or any Board of Audit appointed by the Dominion Government, relating to revision of the financial arrangements between the Dominion Government and the Maritime Provinces and the reassessment of provincial subsidies mentioned in subsection 6 of section I of the report of the Royal Commission on Maritime Claims of which Sir Andrew R. Duncan was chairman.

281. Return to an Order of the House of the 11th April, 1934, for a copy of all records and documents, including petitions, requests, recommendations, tenders, counter-petitions and protests, with respect to the establishment of a rural mail service at Lauzon, Saint-Joseph de Levis, Harlaka, and Beaumont with the branch post office of Saint-Joseph de Levis as a starting point, and with respect to the closing of the post office at Beaumont.

282. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. What the figures are of the volume of export of nickel for March, 1934.
2. Why these are omitted from the monthly returns (E.T.P.B. No. 129, March, 1934) of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for March.

283. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. The number of post offices in each of the following provinces with a revenue of less than \$100 per annum, British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island.
2. The total annual cost of these offices in each province, (a) salaries and allowances, (b) services.
3. The total annual revenue in each province derived from said offices.

284. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1540, dated 6th July, 1932, authorizing the purchase of two historical paintings for the Public Archives of Canada: one of James Wolfe by Highmore, and one of the Earl of Durham by Thomas Lawrence, for the sum of \$45,000; also a memorandum signed by A. S. Doughty, Dominion Archivist, respecting the same.

285. Fifth Report on Hudson Bay Marine Insurance Rates, 1934—Imperial Shipping Committee.

286. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Names, ages, titles and addresses of all inspectors in the employment of the Federal Department of Agriculture in Saskatchewan during the years 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, showing which were permanent and which were temporary.
2. How many of such inspectors have had their services dispensed with in Saskatchewan since January 1, 1933.
3. The specific reasons of termination of services.
4. The names, ages, and titles of all returned soldiers in the employment of the Department of Agriculture in Saskatchewan during the years 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1933.
5. Salaries of each.
6. What per cent of war pensions each received, if any.
7. The names, ages and titles of those whose services were dispensed with during 1933.

8. How many inspectors have been engaged by the Department of Agriculture in Manitoba and Saskatchewan since 1929.

9. Their names and addresses and official titles.

10. The names and addresses of such inspectors still in the employ of the Department of Agriculture.

287. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all accounts, vouchers, bills, lists of payments, receipts, letters and correspondence, respecting item: medical care \$1,268.35, hospital charges \$3,862.10, and relief \$12,028.04 mentioned in the auditor general's report for the year ending March 31, 1933, under the caption of Indian Agency, Pierreville, Quebec. Also a statement giving particulars with respect to names and addresses, amounts paid, and showing to whom and for whom they were paid.

288. Report of the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the Chignecto Canal project: Part I—the Commission's Findings; Part II—Surveys and Estimates; Part III—Extent and Scope of Commission's Investigation; together with appendices and maps to accompany same, dated at Ottawa, November 9, 1933.

289. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th May, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence addressed to the Department of Marine, respecting the range light located at L'Anse aux Canards, county of Gaspé, and the position of such range light keeper, from August 1, 1930, to date.

290. Return to an Order of the House of the 18th April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence and other documents exchanged between the Department of Marine, or the department's office at Charlottetown, and any persons of the Magdalen Islands, County of Gaspé, respecting the buoys of Grand-Entrée Channel, from October, 1933, to date.

291. Return to an Order of the Senate, dated May 1, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. What assistance did the Government offer commercial aeroplane operators, if any, in 1933?

2. What further assistance, if any, is planned for commercial aeroplane operators in 1934?

3. What subsidy did the Government give the Flying Clubs in aeroplanes and cash in 1933?

4. Has this subsidy been increased for 1934?

5. Do the commercial operators get the same subsidy for the same work done as the Flying Clubs? If not, why not?

6. Are airports in Canada being closed? If so, why?

7. Does the Government give any subsidy to encourage the airport operators?

8. What is the Government doing to encourage the establishment of an inter-city passenger service?

9. Has the Government any definite policy as to the development of commercial aviation in Canada? If so, what is it?

10. Is it the policy of the Government to operate air services in Canada as a Government undertaking or is the Government encouraging private enterprises along this line?

11. How much photography, mapping and survey flying was done in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 by the Royal Canadian Air Force and what was the cost of same?

12. Could this work have been carried out by commercial operators? If so, why were commercial operators not used?

13. How much air mail flying was carried out by the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933 over a regular route and what was the cost of the same? Why was not this work done by commercial operators?

14. Would an independent committee made up in part of active commercial operators be of value to the country to investigate the aviation industry as a whole in Canada and bring in a recommendation to the Government?

15. To what extent has the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals taken over the radio service previously maintained by commercial Air Transport Firms in the Northwest Territories?

16. Are any extensions of this policy contemplated in the near future?

292. Copy of Order in Council, P.C. 1042, dated 21st May, 1934: ordering that the Printer's copy of all departmental reports complete in revised type-written form, in either the English or in the French language, shall be delivered to the King's Printer on or before the first day of July in each and every year.

293. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th May, 1934, for a Return showing what amount the Federal Government contributed during the years 1933, 1934 in the form of direct relief to the following provinces, without the provinces or municipalities being required to contribute, (a) Ontario; (b) Manitoba; (c) Saskatchewan; (d) Alberta; (e) Yukon Territory; (f) New Brunswick; (g) Nova Scotia; (h) Prince Edward Island; (i) Quebec.

294. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams, letters, petitions, other documents, respecting the dismissal of Mrs. Marie-Laure Lalonde, postmistress at Pointe Fortune, county of Vaudieuil.

295. Return to an Order of the House of the 19th March, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. In the case of life insurance companies reporting to the Dominion Government Department of Insurance, the total amount of loans on policies in Canada on December 31 in each of the last ten years.

2. Total amount of policies lapsed in each of these years.

3. Total amount paid to policy holders and beneficiaries in each of these years.

4. Total amount of premiums paid by policy holders during each of these years.

5. Number and value of ordinary life insurance policies in force in Canada at the end of 1932, or nearest available date, in each of the following classifications: (a) under \$1,001, (b) \$1,001 to \$2,000, (c) \$2,001 to \$3,000, (d) \$3,001 to \$4,000; (e) \$4,001 to \$5,000, (f) \$5,001 to \$10,000, (g) \$10,001 to \$20,000, (h) \$20,001 to \$30,000, (i) \$30,001 to \$40,000, (j) \$40,001 to \$50,000, (k) \$550,001 to \$100,000, (l) \$100,001 to \$500,000, (m) \$500,001 to \$1,000,000, (n) over \$1,000,000.

296. Return to an Order of the House of the 9th May, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence between any member of the Government, and any other person or persons or corporation, with reference to the application made under the Navigable Waters Protection Act for the construction of the First Narrows Bridge at Vancouver, British Columbia.

297. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st May, 1934, for a Return showing:—

1. Total loans or credits made by Canada to other nations.

2. The names of said nations, the amount in each case of said loans or guarantees, and the dates upon which they were made.

3. What repayments, if any, were received from said nations, and the dates in each case.

4. The outstanding amount due from each nation on January 1, 1934.

298. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd May, 1934, for a copy of schedules of works approved by the Federal Government under the Unemployment and Farm Relief Act, 1931, and the Relief Act, 1933, for the Federal Constituency of Compton, showing the accounts received with respect to each schedule, the dates on which such accounts were received, the dates on which payment of same were made to the province, and, in the case of municipal works, the dates shown on the accounts as that on which they were received by the province from the municipality.

299. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th May, 1934, for a copy of all documents, letters, correspondence, and telegrams, exchanged between the Department of Marine at Ottawa and any persons, respecting the resignation of Mr. Charles Tremblay (Georges), as lighthouse keeper at the wharf at Les Eboulements, and the appointment of Mr. Hector Tremblay as his successor, from January 1, 1934, to date.

300. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th May, 1934, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, memoranda and other documents from September, 1933, to date, in connection with the dismissal of Postmaster T. B. Lett, Nacmine, Alberta, and the appointment of Mrs. Molyneux to the position.

301. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents in the possession of the Government, relating to the dismissal of Jean Amedée Motut, postmaster at Hoey in the province of Saskatchewan, and the appointment of his successor.

302. Return to an Order of the House of the 14th May, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and documents exchanged between the Post Office Department at Ottawa, the post office inspector at Quebec and any other persons, with respect to the contract for carrying the mail from La Malbaie to Grand Fonds, in the county of Charlevoix, from January 1, 1934, to date.

303. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all letters and correspondence between the Postmaster General, the Deputy Postmaster General or any official of the Post Office Department and any person, since August 1, 1930, to date, respecting the postmasters of the following post offices in the county of Yamaska: Pierreville, St-Zephirin de Courval, St-Elphege, St-Francois du Lac, St-Gerard, Yamaska West, Notre Dame de Pierreville, La Visitation, St-David, St-Guillaume, the dismissal of said postmasters, their substitutes or successors.

304. Return to an Order of the House of the 31st January, 1934, for a return showing a copy of all pay rolls and accounts which have been paid by the Department of Public Works in the municipality of Hâvre aux Maisons, Iles de la Madeleine, from July 30, 1930, to the present date.

304a. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st May, 1934, for a copy of all vouchers covering expenditures made since August 1, 1930, to date, at Havre aux Maisons, Magdalen Islands, including work done in the channel at Havre aux Maisons, Elie Point and Basse Point, Dame du Sud and Grand Barachois.

305. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th February, 1934, for a copy of the pay lists in connection with the works done for the Department of Public Works by Maurice Le Blanc, in Bonaventure Parish, Bonaventure County, during the year 1931.

306. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th February, 1934, for a copy of pay rolls, statement of material supplied, showing the names of persons supplying such material and prices paid for same, in connection with work done in 1933 on the Cape Bauld breakwater, Westmorland County, New Brunswick.

307. Return to an Order of the House of the 5th March, 1934, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, memoranda and reports, between the Department of Public Works and any person in connection with the shore protection work on Port Hood Island, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, done in 1931 under the Unemployment Relief Act of that year; also the payroll and the account for the purchase of logs, iron ballast and ballast poles, timber and plank, showing the persons or firms from whom the material was purchased.

308. Return to an Order of the House of the 26th March, 1934, for a copy of all pay lists respecting works carried out at the wharf of Riviere au Renard, county of Gaspé, during the years 1930-1931-1932, and 1933.

308a. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all pay lists, in connection with repairs carried out at the wharf at Riviere au Renard, county of Gaspé, during the year 1933. Also a copy of vouchers respecting purchases of lumber and other materials in connection therewith.

309. Return to an Order of the House of the 16th April, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Department of Public Works and any person or persons, relating to a claim made against the Government for lumber lost through collapse of the wharf at New Massett, British Columbia, in 1918.

310. Return to an Order of the House of the 23rd April, 1934, for a Return showing what sums have been expended by the Department of Public Works in the counties of Sherbrooke, Shefford, Chateauguay, Huntingdon, Brome, Missisquoi, Stanstead, Compton, Richmond and Wolfe, from 1930 to the present date.

311. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st May, 1934, for a statement showing works authorized by the Department of Public Works out of the general fund for public works in Bonaventure County since January 1, 1934, to date.

312. Copy of Report of the International Commission appointed to investigate the probable effects of the damming of Passamaquoddy and Cobscook Bays on the fisheries of that region.

313. Return to an Order of the House of the 12th February, 1934, for a copy of all correspondence, cables and other documents, exchanged between the Honourable Herbert Marler, Canadian representative in Tokyo, Japan, or the representative of any other country, and any member of the Federal Government, with respect to the possibility and practicability of disposing of more Canadian farm products, especially wheat and wheat flour, either in Japan or China, during the past three and a half years.

314. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st May, 1934, for a copy of all vouchers covering expenditures for stone, iron, wood and other building materials used in connection with the wharf at St-Adelaide de Pabos, county of Gaspé, from August 1, 1930, to date.

315. Return to an Order of the House for a Return showing:—

1. The total amount spent on unemployment relief during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933, in the following municipalities in the province of Ontario:

Windsor, Sandwich, Walkerville, East Windsor, Riverside, Tecumseh, Sandwich East, Sandwich West.

2. The total amount spent from the Grade Crossing Fund in those municipalities.

316. Copies of Rules of Practice of the Court of King's Bench, Province of Quebec, in criminal matters, superseding the Rules at present in force. (English and French.)

317. Return to an Order of the House of the 21st May, 1934, for a copy of all telegrams, correspondence, letters, petitions and other documents, respecting the dismissal of Mr. Eloi Girard, postmaster of the village of St-Celestin, county of Nicolet.

318. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of the 23rd May, 1934, for a copy of all the correspondence exchanged between the Department of Labour and the provincial authorities of Quebec concerning the non-payment of those employed on relief works being carried out by the province prior to the receipt by the province of the Federal Government's share.

319. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th June, 1934, for a return showing: (a) the number of aged people in Nova Scotia to whom Old Age Pensions have been granted, with their names and addresses; (b) the amount paid to date by the Federal Government in respect to the payment of such old age pensions in Nova Scotia.

320. Return to an Order of the House showing:—

1. The rental, length of lease, and date of expiration of lease in connection with property occupied by the Canadian National Ticket Office in the City of Windsor.

2. The rental, time of expiration of lease of the former Canadian National Ticket Office on Ouellette Avenue, Windsor.

3. What other offices were rented by the Government in the Border Cities, during the last five years, and the rental paid in each case and to whom was it paid.

321. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th June, 1934, for a return showing the amount of money spent annually by the Federal Government by way of subsidies to the Nova Scotia coal industry from 1923 to 1934, inclusive.

322. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th June, 1934, for a return regarding the Riding Mountain National Park in Manitoba showing, the names and addresses of: (a) persons holding permanent or administrative positions; (b) persons holding temporary positions and the character of work being done by each; (c) persons holding concessions of any kind; (d) persons having contracts of any kind.

323. Return to an Order of the House of the 4th June, 1934, for a copy of all telegrams, correspondence, and other documents exchanged during the past two years between the Dominion Unemployment Relief Bureau and Mr. Elias Lebel, of Ste-Jeanne d'Arc, county of Matapedia, Quebec.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Robinson, from the Special Committee appointed to take into consideration and report from time to time upon the Public Accounts of Canada, etc., presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

The Special Committee appointed to take into consideration and report from time to time upon the Public Accounts of Canada, etc., beg leave to present their third Report, as follows:—

In the course of several meetings held by the Committee the following witnesses were heard and examined:—

The Honourable C. H. Cahan, P.C., K.C., M.P., Secretary of State.

Mr. Georges Gonthier, Auditor General of Canada.

Mr. S. Rettie, Chief Examiner of Finance Department Accounts.

Mr. E. G. Blackadar, Superintendent of Government Annuities, Department of Labour.

The Committee submit herewith the evidence adduced, and inasmuch as time will not permit the hearing of all the witnesses whose evidence would be of value, the Committee recommend that the Senate at the beginning of the next Session should consider the advisability of again appointing a Special Committee to continue this inquiry.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Béland, from the Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods, to whom was referred the Bill (6), intituled: "An Act to amend the Meat and Canned Foods Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Béland, from the Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods, to whom was referred the Bill (70), intituled: "An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Béland moved that the said Bill be now read a third time.

In amendment, the Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be amended, as follows:—

Page 1, line 16. Strike out the words "or company".

The question being put on the motion in amendment,
It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put for the third reading of the Bill, as amended,
it was—

Resolved in the affirmative, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (J2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Fenwick William Smith."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (K2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edward Headley Acland."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (L2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helen Cohen Levine."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (N2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Rosner."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (P2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 22nd June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson, Fenwick William Smith, Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson, Edward Headley Acland, Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson, Helen Cohen Levine, Annie Rosner, Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren, and Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson, respectively; praying for Bills of Divorce, and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (18), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (99), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

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

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (100), intituled: "An Act respecting the St. Clair Transit Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (111), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Finance Act," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act to repeal Chapter four of the Statutes of 1915," was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second Report of the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the existing treaties in connection with the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow, and that it be the first Order.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping."

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at twelve o'clock (noon).

The Senate adjourned.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Wednesday, 27th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Wednesday, 27th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Pope:—

19th June—That he will ask of the Government:—

The number of amputation cases on roll now being provided with limbs:
Chopart, symes, below knee, knee, thigh, hip.

Arms: Partial hand, wrist, below elbow, elbow, above elbow, shoulder.

Number of artificial limbs made and provided to veterans each month.

Number of artificial arms made and provided to veterans each month.

Give full report on number of legs and arms provided to patients in 1933,
and for compensation board.

Give average life of artificial limb.

Would the Government establish a standard artificial limb.

How many men are employed in making artificial limbs, and at what wage
per hour.

How many hours a day.

Are any of these men receiving pensions in addition to the wage.

How many officials are attached to the artificial limb department.

Total salaries paid per month.

Total costs of material each year.

How many sub-stations, where located.

Total cost of maintenance.

How many patients are provided for in each of these districts, are they per-
mitted to supply outside patients.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of
the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the
Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.

2. When was construction work commenced.

3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.

4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and
owing on the building.

MOTION**For Wednesday, 27th June, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

26th June—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have concurred in their amendments made to (Bill E), An Act respecting Shipping, without any amendment.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Wednesday, 27th June, 1934

No. 1.

26th June—Consideration of the Report of the Special Committee with regard to the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters.—(Honourable Senator Horsey.)

No. 2.

26th June—Third Reading (Bill 111), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Finance Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 3.

26th June—Third Reading (Bill 112), intituled: "An Act to repeal Chapter four of the statutes of 1915."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 4.

26th June—Consideration of the report of the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce with respect to (Bill 92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate Compromises and Arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors."—(Honourable Senator Griesbach.)

No. 5.

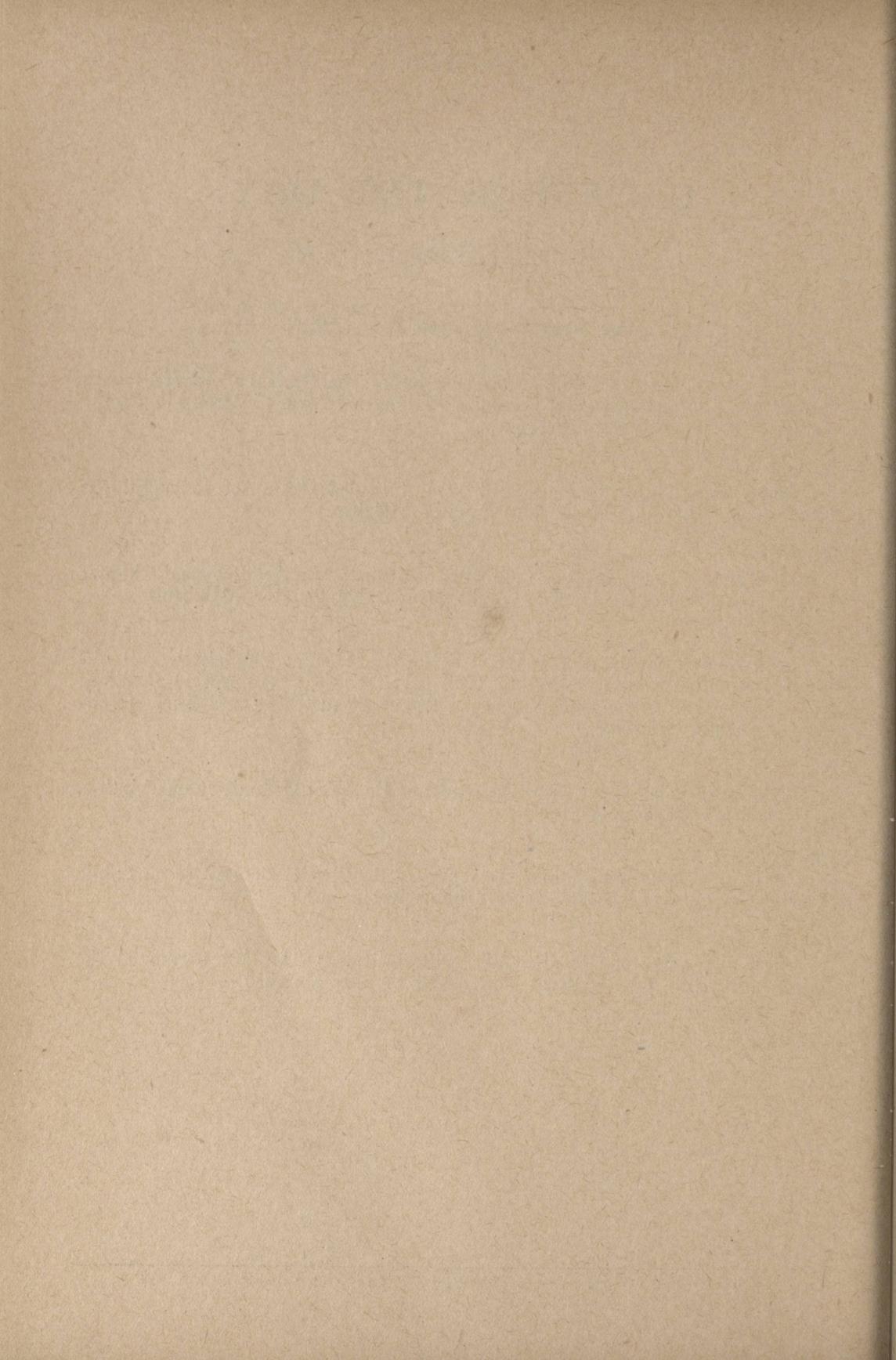
26th June—Consideration of the report of the Joint Committee on Printing.—(Honourable Senator White.)

No. 6.

26th June—Consideration of the report of the Special Committee on Public Accounts of Canada.—(Honourable Senator Robinson.)

No. 7.

26th June—Second Reading Bill (99), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)



No. 55

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 27th June, 1934

12 noon.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	MacArthur,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Beaubien,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Rainville,
Béland,	Griesbach,	McCormick,	Riley,
Bénard,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Schaffner,
Buchanan,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Sharpe,
Calder,	Hocken,	Meighen,	Sinclair,
Casgrain,	Horner,	Michener,	Smith,
Chapais,	Horsey,	Molloy,	Spence,
Copp,	Hughes,	Moraud,	Tanner,
Coté,	King,	Murdock,	Tobin,
Dandurand,	Lacasse,	Murphy,	Turgeon,
Donnelly,	L'Espérance,	Parent,	White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (93), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian Farm Loan Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 5, line 14. For the word "Act" substitute the word "Part".

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

In amendment, the Honourable Senator Sinclair moved that the Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be amended as follows:—

Page 4, line 3. Strike out all the words after the word "Act" to the end of the subsection.

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was.
Declared passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, as amended, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Griesbach, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill (F), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932," reported that they had taken the said amendments into consideration and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

The said amendments were concurred in.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved—

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made by the House of Commons to the said Bill, without any amendment.

After debate,

It being one o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

2.30 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

After further debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second Report of the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the existing treaties in connection with the administration of Canadian sealing and fishery interests in Pacific waters.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (111), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Finance Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act to repeal Chapter four of the Statutes of 1915," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate Compromises and Arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors."

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with two amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the first Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the printing of Parliament.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the third Report of the Special Committee appointed to take into consideration and report from time to time upon the Public Accounts of Canada, etc.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (99), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act," was read the second time, and—
 Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (110), intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Notes Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Murdock, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 27th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

During the Session of 1933 the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry was enlarged to fourteen members, and instructed by an Order of Reference to inquire into the livestock export trade and the cattle trade in general.

The Committee had several meetings, and the following witnesses were heard last Session:—

Honourable Robert Weir, P.C., M.P., Minister of Agriculture.

Mr. George B. Rothwell, Live Stock Commissioner, Department of Agriculture.

Mr. P. E. Light, in charge of Market Services Branch, Department of Agriculture.

Mr. J. M. McCallum, in charge of Stock Yards Service Branch, Department of Agriculture.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy, Toronto, Ontario, President of Edmonton Stock Yards, Limited.

Mr. A. W. Burrell, Edmonton, Alberta, Manager of Edmonton Stock Yards, Limited.

As the Session closed before the inquiry was completed, it was then suggested that the same be renewed during the Session of 1934.

Early in the present Session the Committee was again organized for the purpose of continuing the inquiry. Before proceeding, the Chairman was instructed by the Committee to consult with the Chairman of the House of Commons Committee on Price Spreads, who also proposed to inquire into the meat industry. As a result of such consultation, your Committee decided that in order to avoid overlapping and the possibility of bringing some of the witnesses before two Parliamentary Committees to suspend for the present the inquiry into the operation of stock yards and the meat packing industry. The evidence taken by your Committee during the Session of 1933 was referred to the Price Spreads Committee of the House of Commons.

During the present Session your Committee have had several meetings. The evidence given by Dr. G. S. H. Barton, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Ottawa, and Mr. F. E. M. Robinson, Dairy Farmer, Melbourne, Quebec, was of great interest. Dr. Barton dealt with agriculture generally and the report of his evidence contains much useful information. Mr. Robinson dealt largely with the subject of milk and milk products and in a way that convinced the Committee that he has had a very large experience in connection with dairy products.

At a later meeting of the Committee we had as a witness a gentleman who is at present actively engaged in the cattle trade between Canada and Great Britain. Your Committee was so much impressed with the importance of his evidence that it was arranged to have him meet the Minister of Agriculture, who fully discussed the situation with him. Among other interesting information brought out was a statement by the witness that only 6 per cent of the beef sold on the Smithfield Market was home killed beef. That included Irish and Canadian cattle killed in Great Britain; the other 94 per cent being largely made up of beef from the Argentine and other southern countries.

After considering all evidence your Committee are strongly of the opinion that a small delegation of two or three men who have had experience in the raising and marketing of livestock here should be established in England. Their business would be to keep in contact with the Department of Agriculture there, watch market conditions closely, and endeavour to secure for the Canadian producer a much larger share of the British market than he enjoys at present.

Your Committee are further of the opinion that there should be an additional inquiry into the spread of price between the producer of milk and the consumer of same in our large cities, and desire to suggest to the Government that in the event of the work of the Committee on Price Spreads being continued by a Royal Commission, such Commission deal with the matter above referred to.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. J. DONNELLY,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at 12.45 p.m.

The Senate adjourned.

MOTION

For Thursday, 28th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

26th June—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have concurred in their amendments made to (Bill E), An Act respecting Shipping, without any amendment.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Thursday, 28th June, 1934

No. 1.

27th June—Consideration of the third Report of the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.—(Honourable Senator Donnelly.)

No. 56

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 28th June, 1934

12.45 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Fauteux,	Little,	Planta,
Aylesworth	Foster,	MacArthur,	Pope,
(Sir Allen),	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Prevost,
Béland,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Rainville,
Bénard,	Hardy,	McDonald,	Riley,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Robinson,
Buchanan,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Schaffner,
Calder,	Hocken,	Meighen,	Sharpe,
Casgrain,	Horner,	Michener,	Sinclair,
Chapais,	Hughes,	Molloy,	Smith,
Copp,	King,	Moraud,	Tanner,
Coté,	Lacasse,	Murdock,	Tobin,
Dandurand,	L'Espérance,	Murphy,	Turgeon,
Donnelly,	Lewis,	Parent,	White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (100), intituled: "An Act respecting the St. Clair Transit Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (99), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words:—

THURSDAY, 28th June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House disagrees with their 1st and 2nd amendments to the Bill No. 51, An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith, for the following reasons:—

"Inasmuch as wheat producers should not be treated in a different way from other producers of farm products;

"Also, the Natural Products Marketing Act does not conflict with the Canada Grain Act in the case of wheat, nor in the case of coarse grains which are included in the Act, and to which no exception has been taken."

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration presently.

The Senate, accordingly, proceeded to the consideration of the said Message.

After debate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Resolved,—That the Senate do not insist upon their first and second amendments made to the Bill (51), intituled: "An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith," to which the House of Commons have disagreed.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons accordingly.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words:—

THURSDAY, 28th June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House disagrees to their amendments to Bill 89, An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act, for the following reasons:—

“Namely, that the said amendments do not fully assure protection to the revenues of the Crown.”

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration presently.

The Senate, accordingly, proceeded to the consideration of the said Message.

After debate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Resolved,—That the Senate do insist upon its amendments made to the Bill (89), intituled: “An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act,” to which the House of Commons have disagreed.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons accordingly.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 28th June, 1934.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Mr. Justice Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to-day at 5 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,
Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Bank of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen moved that the Bill be now read a second time.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the second time, and referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (70), intituled: "An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Mr. Justice Rinfret, Deputy Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Honourable the Speaker said—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General has been pleased to cause Letters Patent to be issued under His Sign Manual and Signet constituting the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada, his Deputy, to do in His Excellency's name all acts on his part necessary to be done during His Excellency's pleasure.

The said Commission was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

BESSBOROUGH

(L.S.)

By His Excellency Captain The Right Honourable The Earl of Bessborough, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

To the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada.

GREETING:

Know you, that being well assured of your loyalty, fidelity and capacity, I, under and by virtue of and in pursuance of the powers and authority vested in Me by the commission under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet of His Majesty the King, constituting and appointing Me to be His Majesty's Governor General in and over the Dominion of Canada, and by "The British North America Act, 1867" do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint you the said THIBAUDEAU RINFRET, to be my Deputy within the Dominion of Canada, and in that capacity to exercise, but subject to any limitations or directions from time to time expressed or given by His Majesty, all the powers, authorities and functions vested in and of right exercisable by Me as Governor General, saving and excepting the power of dissolving the House of Commons of Canada.

To have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said office of Deputy of Me, the Governor General of Canada, as aforesaid, together with all and every the powers, rights, authority and privileges to the said office belonging or which ought to belong to the same unto you, the said Thibaudeau Rinfret, for and during My pleasure.

Given under my hand and Seal at Arms, at Ottawa, this ninth day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one, and in the twenty-second year of His Majesty's Reign.

By Command,

THOMAS MULVEY,

Under-Secretary of State.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Clerk then read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act for the relief of Aziz Koudsy, otherwise known as Eddie Coudsy.

An Act for the relief of Marjorie Seymour Hammond Zavitz.

An Act for the relief of Lucille Margaret Turbin Kelly.

An Act for the relief of Esther Liverman Kazenel.

An Act for the relief of Aileen Marie Thompson Robb.

An Act for the relief of Doris Jones Earp.

An Act for the relief of Jean Gordon Worden Ellis.

An Act for the relief of Mary Alice Beatrice Featherston Moxon.

An Act for the relief of Ethel Irene Probert.

An Act respecting Courts of Admiralty.

An Act respecting the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve and to amend the Indian Act.

An Act to amend the Inquiries Act.

An Act respecting the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

An Act to incorporate Ancient Foresters' Mutual Life Insurance Company.

An Act respecting the Bureau for Translations.

An Act to amend the Soldier Settlement Act.

An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to authorize the provision of moneys to meet expenditures made and indebtedness incurred during the calendar year 1934, and to provide for the refunding of certain maturing financial obligations.

- An Act respecting Dominion Companies.
 An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act.
 An Act to amend the Customs Tariff.
 An Act to amend the Canada Grain Act.
 An Act to amend the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Act.
 An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act.
 An Act respecting Banks and Banking.
 An Act to amend the Foreign Insurance Companies Act, 1932.
 An Act for the relief of Mary Mabel Taylor Johnson.
 An Act for the relief of Blanche Marjorie Short Hanson.
 An Act for the relief of Fenwick William Smith.
 An Act for the relief of Edward Headley Aeland.
 An Act for the relief of Ella Gertrude Bush Adamson.
 An Act for the relief of Helen Cohen Levine.
 An Act for the relief of Annie Rosner.
 An Act for the relief of Grayse Irene Westlake MacLaren.
 An Act for the relief of Naomi Willard Lyman Robertson.
 An Act to amend the Meat and Canned Foods Act.
 An Act to amend the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act,
 1932.
 An Act to amend the Dominion Notes Act.
 An Act to repeal the Finance Act.
 An Act to repeal Chapter four of the Statutes of 1915.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills.”

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

“The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service;

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:—

“An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935.”

“To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour’s assent.”

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill.

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill.”

After which the Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew

The Senate was resumed.

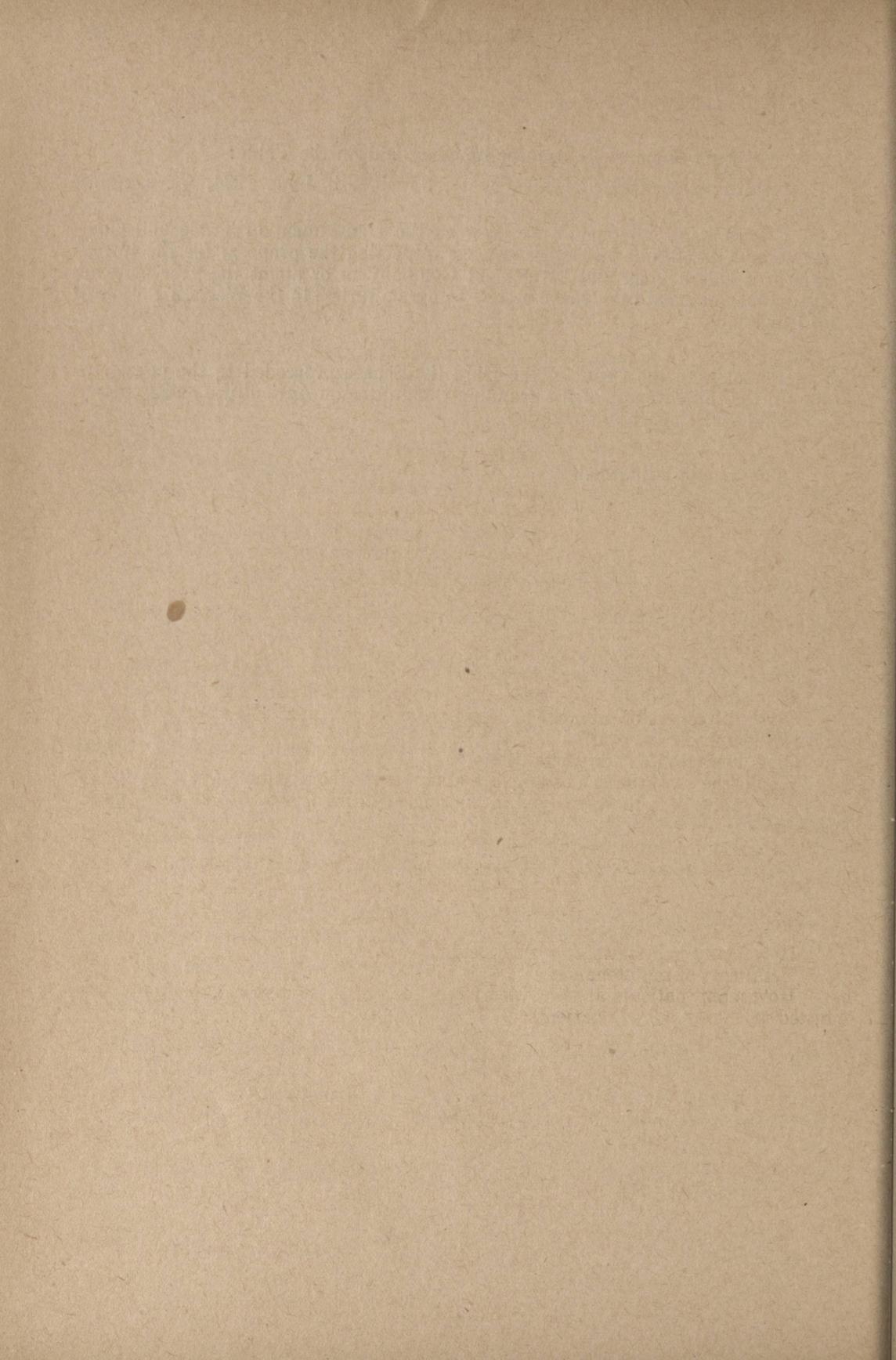
The Right Honourable Senator Meighen laid on the Table:—

Return to an Order of the Senate, dated 19th June, 1934, for a return showing:—

Copies of all correspondence between the Department of Trade and Commerce and its officials and other persons respecting the proposal for the formation of a Dutch Loan and Investment Company in or about the year or years 1910-1911, intended to advance money to agriculturists in the Western Provinces of Canada.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the third Report of the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry. The said Report was adopted.

The Senate adjourned.



ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

Friday, 29th June, 1934

Presentation of Petitions.

Reading of Petitions.

Reports of Committees.

Notices of Inquiries and Motions.

INQUIRIES

For Friday, 29th June, 1934

No. 1.

By the Honourable Senator Pope:—

19th June—That he will ask of the Government:—

The number of amputation cases on roll now being provided with limbs:
Chopart, symes, below knee, knee, thigh, hip.

Arms: Partial hand, wrist, below elbow, elbow, above elbow, shoulder.

Number of artificial limbs made and provided to veterans each month.

Number of artificial arms made and provided to veterans each month.

Give full report on number of legs and arms provided to patients in 1933,
and for compensation board.

Give average life of artificial limb.

Would the Government establish a standard artificial limb.

How many men are employed in making artificial limbs, and at what wage
per hour.

How many hours a day.

Are any of these men receiving pensions in addition to the wage.

How many officials are attached to the artificial limb department.

Total salaries paid per month.

Total costs of material each year.

How many sub-stations, where located.

Total cost of maintenance.

How many patients are provided for in each of these districts, are they per-
mitted to supply outside patients.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

7th June—That he will call the attention of the Senate to the activities of
the International Labour Office at Geneva, and inquire:—

1. What is the total cost (without interest) during construction of the
Labour Temple erected at Geneva by the International Labour Office.

2. When was construction work commenced.

3. When was the Temple completed and occupied.

4. Has the Temple been paid for, and if not how much is outstanding and
owing on the building.

MOTIONS**For Friday, 29th June, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Right Honourable Senator Meighen:—

26th June—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have concurred in their amendments made to (Bill E), An Act respecting Shipping, without any amendment.

For Saturday, 30th June, 1934**No. 1.**

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

28th June—Pending further action by the Parliament of Canada in the opinion of the Senate, an equal number of Canadian National Telegraphs' officials should meet an equal number of Canadian Pacific Railway Company Telegraphers officials, and co-operate together by using the same premises and officials.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

28th June—Pending further action by the Parliament of Canada in the opinion of the Senate, an equal number of Canadian Pacific Express officials should meet an equal number of Canadian National Express officials, and co-operate together by using the same premises and officials.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

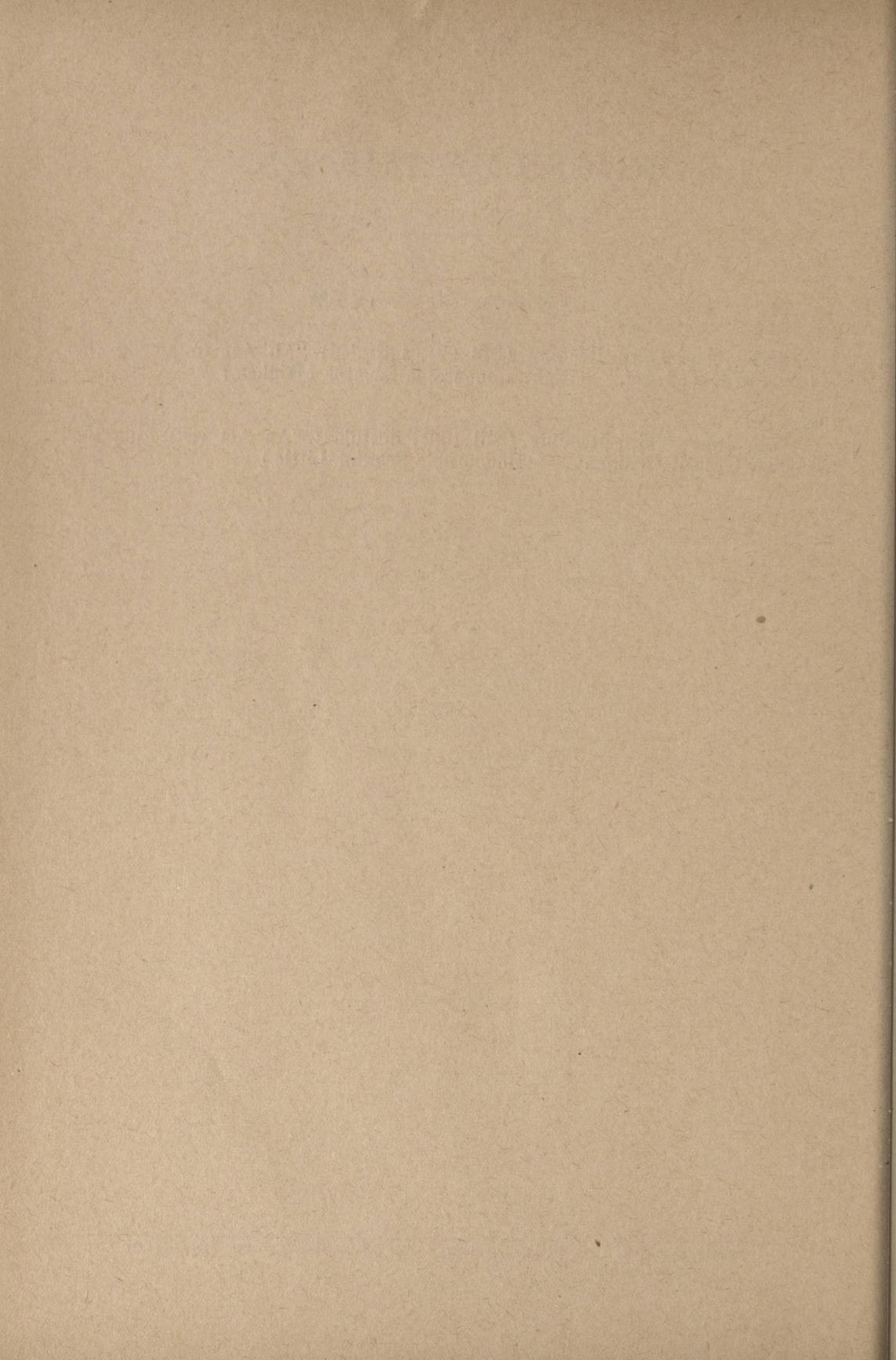
For Friday, 29th June, 1934

No. 1.

28th June—Third Reading (Bill 99), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)

No. 2.

28th June—Third Reading (Bill 100), intituled: "An Act respecting the St. Clair Transit Company."—(Honourable Senator Little.)



No. 57

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

 Friday, 29th June, 1934

3 p.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Dandurand,	Lacasse,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Lewis,	Murphy,
(Sir Allen),	Fauteux,	Little,	Parent,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	MacArthur,	Planta,
Beaubien,	Fripp,	Macdonald,	Pope,
Bénard,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Rainville,
Blondin,	Harmer,	McCormick,	Riley,
Buchanan,	Hatfield,	McDonald,	Robinson,
Calder,	Hocken,	McMeans,	Sharpe,
Chapais,	Horner,	Meighen,	Sinclair,
Copp,	Hughes,	Michener,	Smith,
Coté,	King,	Molloy,	Tanner,
			White (Pembroke).

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their sixth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that the usual supply of stationery, etc., which has been selected by your Committee with due regard to usefulness and economy, for the use of Senators in their rooms and desks in the Senate Chamber, be supplied according to the lists approved by your Committee, and deposited with the Clerk of Stationery, and that the distribution be made in a way similar to that of the present session.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their seventh Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That employees of the Senate employed full time, known as temporary permanents, be included in any scheme or plan proposed by the Government for placing temporary employees on the permanent list.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That the services of Thomas H. Blacklock and J. A. Fortier of the reporting staff of the Senate be continued during the forthcoming recess of Parliament, and that they be paid during such period at one half their weekly sessional rate of pay.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their ninth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That Mr. A. Wagar be appointed Second Assistant Clerk, Editor and Chief Translator of French Debates, Senate.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. SHARPE,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Robinson, it was—

Ordered, That the Parliamentary fees paid on Bill (G2), intituled: "An Act respecting Central Finance Corporation," be refunded to the solicitors for the petitioner.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words:—

THURSDAY, 28th June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate respectfully requesting a Free Conference with Their Honours to consider certain amendments made by the Senate to Bill No. 89, An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act, to which amendments this House has not agreed and upon which the Senate insist, and any amendment which at such Conference it may be considered desirable to make to said Bill or amendments thereto.

Ordered, That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration presently.

The Senate, accordingly, proceeded to the consideration of the said Message.

After debate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate has agreed to the Free Conference desired with the Senate for the purpose of communicating the reasons which induced the Commons not to concur in the amendments made by the Senate to the Bill (89), intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act," and has appointed the Right Honourable Senator Meighen and the Honourable Senators Copp and Cote as Managers on their part at the said Conference, and

Also, That the Managers of the Free Conference on the part of the Senate will meet in Senate Committee Room No. 258, at six o'clock, p.m., on this twenty-ninth day of June, instant.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons accordingly.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (93), intituled: "An Act to amend the Canadian Farm Loan Act."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House agrees to their amendment to Clause 3 of the Bill No. 92, An Act to facilitate compromises and arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors,

And disagrees to their amendment to Clause 17 for the reason that, unless the interest rate is reduced to five per cent after the payment of three months' bonus, there would be no inducement to the lender to accept payment. The purpose and intent of the proposed legislation are to induce the lender, on payment of the principal sum and interest to the date of payment, with the bonus of three months' interest, and thereafter by reducing the interest rate to five per cent, to accept payment without further delay.

Ordered, That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration at a later stage of to-day's sitting.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (99), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that the House of Commons has appointed Messrs. Matthews, Cahan and Euler to act as Managers on behalf of this House of the Free Conference with the Senate with respect to the amendments made to Bill No. 89, An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act.

Ordered, That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock.

7.30 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

The Right Honourable Senator Graham, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Bank of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 28. After "Governor" insert "who shall not as such be a member of the Board."

2. Page 2, line 38. For "banking" substitute "financial".

3. Page 3, line 44. After "shall" insert ", subject to the approval of the Governor in Council,".

4. Page 4, line 35. For "re-appointment." substitute "re-election."

5. Page 4, line 42. After "bank," insert the following words:—
"and any person nominated for election as a director who is a shareholder of a chartered bank shall if elected divest himself of ownership of his shares within three months of the date of his election and shall not thereafter during the period of his office have an interest, either directly or indirectly, as a shareholder in a chartered bank."

6. Page 10, line 25. After "banks" insert the following words:—
"or to banks incorporated under the *Quebec Savings Banks Act*".

7. Page 11, lines 6 and 7. For the words "Savings Bank Act." substitute "*Quebec Savings Banks Act*".

8. Page 11, line 7. For "Deposits" substitute "deposits".

9. Page 12, lines 35, 36 and 37. For the words "Provided that notes in either the English or the French language shall be available as required." substitute "Provided that each note shall be printed in both the English and the French language."

10. Page 15, line 36. Add the following as subclause (7) of clause 27:—

"(7) Every bank incorporated under the *Quebec Savings Banks Act* shall maintain against its deposit liabilities such reserves in the form of notes of the Bank or deposits with the Bank or a chartered bank as may be deemed to be sufficient by the Bank and shall furnish such information as may be required by the Bank from time to time to satisfy it that such reserves are so maintained."

11. Page 19, line 10. After "shall" insert the following words:—
"in the case of the election of directors".

12. Page 19, line 12. Leave out the words "by registered post".

13. Page 20, line 41. After "meetings" insert the following words:—
"and such by-laws may provide for the nomination of directors before any annual general meeting and what constitutes such nomination;".

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Right Honourable Senator Meighen, from the Free Conference, reported as follows:—

The Managers of the Senate at the Conference on Bill 89, intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act," report as follows:—

The Managers for the Senate met in conference the Managers on the part of the Commons on the said Bill and the amendments thereto.

The Managers on behalf of the Senate report recommending that the Senate do insist upon their first, second and third amendments.

That their fourth amendment be amended by substituting for paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of new clause 169A, the following:—

"(b) that he exercised all reasonable care in respect of the person permitted to obtain the possession of such horses, vehicles, vessels or other appliances to satisfy himself that they were not likely to be used contrary to the provisions of this Act or, if a mortgagee or lien-holder, that before becoming such mortgagee or lien-holder he exercised such care with respect to the mortgagee or lien-giver;"

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Resolved,—That the Senate do insist upon their first, second and third amendments made to Bill (89), intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act," and that the fourth amendment be amended by substituting for paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of new clause 169A, the following:—

"(b) that he exercised all reasonable care in respect of the person permitted to obtain the possession of such horses, vehicles, vessels or other appliances to satisfy himself that they were not likely to be used contrary to the provisions of this Act or, if a mortgagee or lien-holder, that before becoming such mortgagee or lien-holder he exercised such care with respect to the mortgagee or lien-giver;"

Pursuant to Order, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Message from the House of Commons returning the Bill (92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate compromises and arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors," agreeing to the first amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, and disagreeing to the second amendment.

After debate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Resolved,—That the Senate do not insist on their amendment to clause 17 of Bill (92), intituled: "An Act to facilitate compromises and arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors," to which the House of Commons have disagreed.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (100), intituled: "An Act respecting the St. Clair Transit Company," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—
Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have concurred in their amendments made to Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Shipping," without any amendment.

On motion, it was—
Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The Senate adjourned.

MOTIONS**For Saturday, 30th June, 1934****No. 1.**

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

28th June—Pending further action by the Parliament of Canada in the opinion of the Senate, an equal number of Canadian National Telegraphs' officials should meet an equal number of Canadian Pacific Railway Company Telegraphers officials, and co-operate together by using the same premises and officials.

No. 2.

By the Honourable Senator Casgrain:—

28th June—Pending further action by the Parliament of Canada in the opinion of the Senate, an equal number of Canadian Pacific Express officials should meet an equal number of Canadian National Express officials, and co-operate together by using the same premises and officials.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Saturday, 30th June, 1934

No. 1.

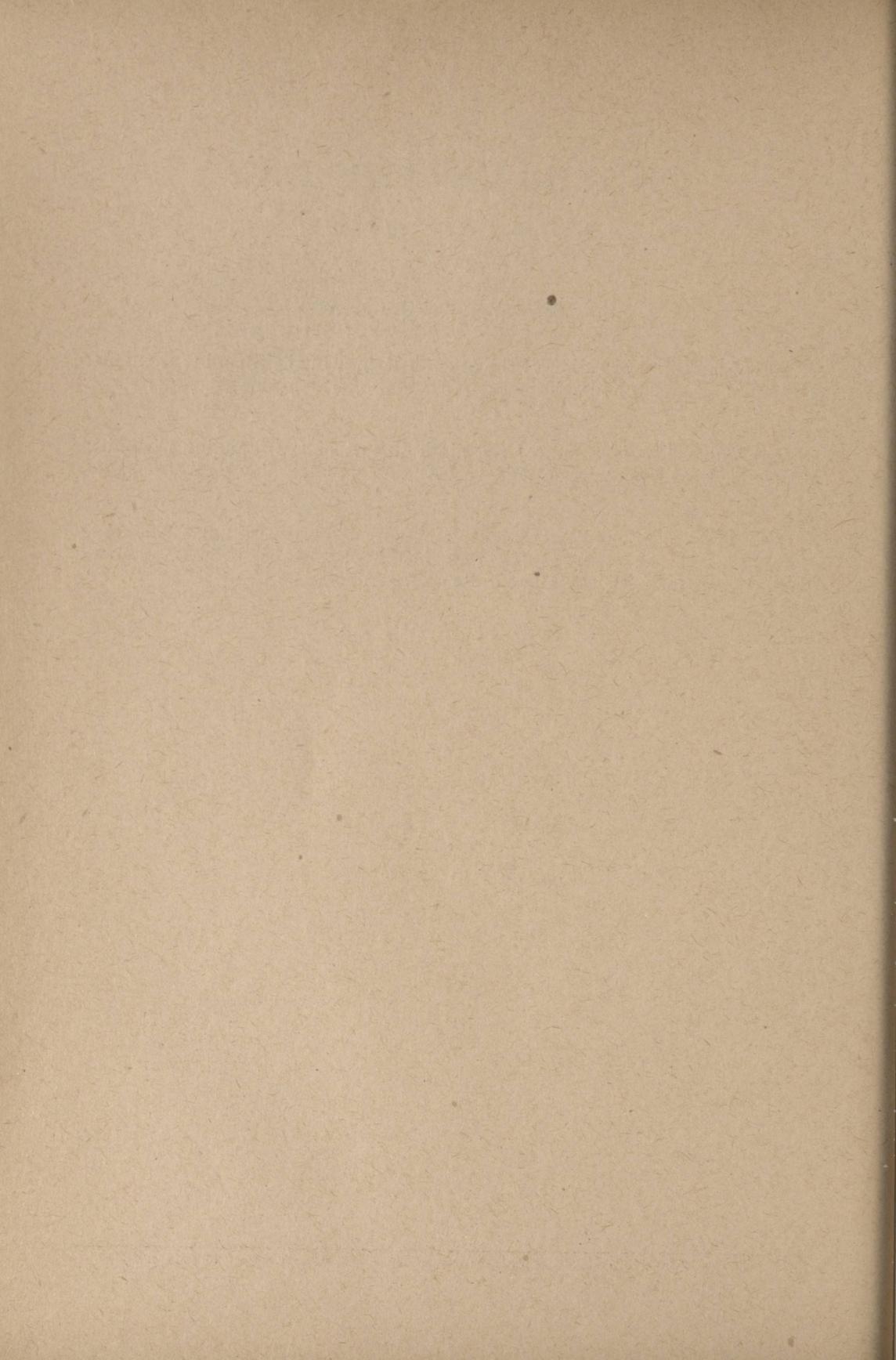
29th June—Consideration of the seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Senator Sharpe.)

No. 2.

29th June—Consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.—(Honourable Senator Sharpe.)

No. 3.

29th June—Consideration of amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to (Bill 19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Bank of Canada."—(Right Honourable Senator Meighen.)



No. 58

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Saturday, 30th June, 1934

11 a.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lacasse,	Parent,
Ballantyne,	Fauteux,	Little,	Planta,
Beaubien,	Foster,	MacArthur,	Rainville,
Bénard,	Fripp,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Blondin,	Graham,	McCormick,	Robinson,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	McDonald,	Sharpe,
Calder,	Hatfield,	McMeans,	Sinclair,
Chapais,	Hocken,	Meighen,	Smith,
Copp,	Horner,	Molloy,	Tanner,
Coté,	Hughes,	Murdock,	White (Pembroke).
Dandurand,	King,	Murphy,	

PRAYERS.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Right Honourable Senator Meighen, it was—

Ordered, That Rules 110 and 119 be suspended for the balance of the present Session.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Foster:—

Of Albert Patrick Henry Cutten and others (The Small Loan Company of Canada).

On motion of the Honourable Senator Foster, it was—

Ordered, That the petition of Albert Patrick Henry Cutten and others of Guelph, Ontario, and elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Small Loan Company of Canada," be now read and received.

The said petition was read and received.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk, in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint Their Honours that this House doth accept and concur in the first, second and third amendments by the Senate to Bill No. 89, intituled: "An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act," and also to the fourth amendment agreed to at the Free Conference with the Senate.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (R2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Security National Insurance Company,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, with one amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 9. For the word "banker" substitute the word "dealer".

On motion of the Honourable Senator Coté—

The said amendment was concurred in.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendment made by the House of Commons to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, with one amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2, line 46. After the word "therefor" add the following words: "and in neither such case shall the charge exceed the sum of five dollars."

On motion of the Honourable Senator Foster,
The said amendment was concurred in.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendment made by the House of Commons to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (M), intituled: "An Act to amend an Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, with several amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, line 14. Strike out clause 2.

2. Page 2, line 9. Strike out:—

"Sub-paragraphs (i), (ii) and (iii) of paragraph (b) of subsection one of section five of the said Act are repealed and the following are substituted therefor:—"

and substitute:—

"Subsection (i) of paragraph (b) of subsection one of section five of the said Act is repealed, and the following is substituted therefor:—"

3. Page 2, line 32. Strike out sub-paragraphs (ii) and (iii) (from line 32 to the end of clause 3).

On motion of the Honourable Senator Marcotte—
The said amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate doth agree to the amendments made by the House of Commons to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (123), intituled: "An Act to amend the Loan Companies Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole at a later stage of to-day's sitting.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventh Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The question being put on the motion for the adoption of the said Report, it was—

Declared passed in the negative.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Bank of Canada,

The Right Honourable Senator Graham moved that the said amendments be now concurred in.

In amendment, it was moved by the Right Honourable Senator Meighen that amendment number nine, namely:—

9. Page 12, lines 35, 36 and 37. For the words "Provided that notes in either the English or the French language shall be available as required." substitute "Provided that each note shall be printed in both the English and the French language."

be not concurred in.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the motion in amendment,

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down, as follows:—

CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Chapais,	Horner,	Planta,
Ballantyne,	Coté,	Marcotte,	Sharpe,
Bénard,	Donnelly,	McCormick,	Smith,
Blondin,	Fauteux,	McDonald,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hocken,	Meighen,	White (Pembroke)—20.

NON-CONTENTS

The Honourable Senators

Dandurand,	Harmer,	King,	Little,
Graham,	Hughes,	Lacasse,	MacArthur,
			Parent—9.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the main motion, as amended, it was—
Resolved in the affirmative, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Sharpe, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their thirteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

SATURDAY, 30th June, 1934.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their thirteenth Report, as follows:—

The Committee have examined the following petition and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, namely:—

Of Albert Patrick Henry Cutten and others of Guelph, Ontario, and elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Small Loan Company of Canada."

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (126), intituled: "An Act respecting Radio Broadcasting," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (127), intituled: "An Act to amend the Pension Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole at a later stage of to-day's sitting.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (128), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (15), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Small Loan Company of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole at a later stage of to-day's sitting.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (116), intituled: "An Act to amend The Representation Act, 1933," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (124), intituled: "An Act to amend the Customs Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (125), intituled: "An Act to amend the Customs Tariff," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (S2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eugenie Margaret O'Reilly Stavert."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (T2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Harold Allen."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (U2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ena Beatrice Duclos Boyd."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (V2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Herbert Addy."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

FRIDAY, 29th June, 1934.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Eugenie Margaret O'Reilly Stavert,

George Harold Allen, Ena Beatrice Duclos Boyd, Paul Herbert Addy, and Hyman Stotland, respectively; praying for Bills of Divorce, and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

Pursuant to Order, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure, and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (123), intituled: "An Act to amend the Loan Companies Act."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to Order, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (127), intituled: "An Act to amend the Pension Act."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to Order, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (15), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Small Loan Company of Canada."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (101), intituled: "An Act respecting the Franchise of Electors at Elections of Members of the House of Commons," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole at a later stage of to-day's sitting.

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock.

7.30 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (114), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (115), intituled: "An Act respecting the Election of Members of the House of Commons," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with the following amendments:—

1. Page B, line 13. After "No." insert "42".
2. Page B, line 16, After "No." insert "43".
3. Page B, line 36. After "section" insert "forty-six".
4. Page C, line 43. For "51 and 52" substitute "fifty-one and fifty-two".
5. Page 73, line 26. Insert as a heading "Amendments".

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to Order, the Senate was adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (101), intituled: "An Act respecting the Franchise of Electors at Elections of Members of the House of Commons."

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with the following amendments:—

1. Page 5, lines 32 and 33. Transpose the following words to the beginning of subparagraph (xii) "in the province of British Columbia".
2. Page 27, line 4. Strike out the word "good".
3. Page 28, line 19. Strike out "sub-".

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (19), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Bank of Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (113), intituled: "An Act to provide for the construction and improvement of certain Public Works and undertakings throughout Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (101), intituled: "An Act respecting the Franchise of Electors at Elections of Members of the House of Commons,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (115), intituled: "An Act respecting the Election of Members of the House of Commons,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate, without any amendment.

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The Senate adjourned.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

For Tuesday, 3rd July, 1934

No. 59

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 3rd July, 1934

10 a.m.

The Honourable P. E. BLONDIN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Fauteux,	Little,	Murphy,
Béland,	Fripp,	MacArthur,	Parent,
Blondin,	Graham,	Marcotte,	Planta,
Brown,	Harmer,	Meighen,	Rainville,
Calder,	Horner,	Murdock,	Sharpe,
Coté,			Sinclair.

PRAYERS.

It being one o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past two o'clock this afternoon.

2.30 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair, to resume the same at half-past seven o'clock.

7.30 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (129), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Secretary to His Excellency the Governor General.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 15th June, 1934.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will proceed to the Senate Chamber on 3rd July, next, at ten o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of proroguing the present Session of Parliament.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. LASCELLES,

Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while, His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated on the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that,—

“It is His Excellency the Governor General’s pleasure they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber.”

— The House of Commons being come,

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act to amend the Food and Drugs Act.

An Act to improve the methods and practices of marketing of natural products in Canada and in export trade, and to make further provision in connection therewith.

An Act to amend the Canadian Farm Loan Act.

An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act.

An Act respecting the St. Clair Transit Company.

An Act respecting Shipping.

An Act to facilitate Compromises and Arrangements between Farmers and their Creditors.

An Act for the relief of Eugenie Margaret O’Reilly Stavert.

An Act for the relief of George Harold Allen.

An Act for the relief of Ena Beatrice Duclos Boyd.

An Act for the relief of Paul Herbert Addy.

An Act to incorporate Security National Insurance Company.

An Act to amend an Act to incorporate The Discount and Loan Corporation of Canada.

An Act to incorporate Personal Finance Corporation.

An Act to amend and consolidate the Excise Act.

An Act to incorporate The Small Loan Company of Canada.

An Act to amend The Representation Act, 1933.

An Act to amend the Loan Companies Act.

An Act to amend the Customs Act.

An Act to amend the Customs Tariff.

An Act respecting Radio Broadcasting.

An Act to amend the Pension Act.

An Act to amend The Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932.

An Act to incorporate the Bank of Canada.

An Act to amend the Criminal Code.

An Act to provide for the construction and improvement of certain public works and undertakings throughout Canada.

An Act respecting the Franchise of Electors at Elections of Members of the House of Commons.

An Act respecting the Election of Members of the House of Commons.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, His Excellency the Governor General doth assent to these Bills.”

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed His Excellency the Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

“The Commons of Canada have voted Supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Excellency the following Bill:—

“An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1935.

“To which Bill, I humbly request Your Excellency’s Assent.”

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill,

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name His Excellency the Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill.”

After which His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to close the Fifth Session of the Seventeenth Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, with the following Speech:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

I desire to express my appreciation of the careful attention you have given to the various measures submitted to you for consideration during the present Session, and to congratulate you upon the extent and importance of the legislation enacted which vitally affects the economic and social life of Canada. It is a source of profound satisfaction that the improvement in economic conditions in Canada which was in evidence when you commenced your sessional labours is still apparent. This improvement is reflected in substantially increased national revenues, a greater volume of inter-Empire as well as foreign trade and a betterment in employment conditions throughout the country. Our favourable trade balances have strengthened our external exchange position and our national credit was never higher. The enactment of legislation incorporating the Bank of Canada to operate as a Central Bank will permit of the exercise of a sound measure of public control over credit and currency in the interests of the economic life of the nation and will secure to Canada a greater measure of freedom in the exchange markets of the world. The decennial revision of the Bank Act has been completed, and necessary amendments made to improve our monetary and banking institutions.

Legislation has been enacted to improve the methods and practices of the marketing of natural products. I express the confident hope that this legislation will provide the means by which the producers of primary commodities in this country may exercise over the marketing of their products a degree of regulative control which will inure to the benefit alike of producer and consumer. The Companies Act will provide greater security for investors in Canadian enterprises. The decline in world commodity prices experienced in past years has borne heavily on the producers of primary products, and the farming population has been faced with a great burden of debt. By means of

the legislation which has been enacted speedy adjustments without expense to the farmers may be made with creditors, and authority has been granted to the Canadian Farm Loan Board to extend its operations so as to provide the farmer with additional capital by advances on farm mortgages and also by providing intermediate credit. Under the provisions of the Statute of Westminster legislation has been enacted to make effective extra-territorially the laws of Canada relating to navigation and shipping. The provision for the construction of public works and undertakings widely distributed throughout the country will, it is believed, further serve to stimulate economic recovery by providing employment in various lines of activity.

Among other important measures passed were: An Act to Provide for the Franchise of Electors at Elections to the House of Commons, an Act respecting the Bureau for Translations, a Consolidation of the Excise Act, Measures affecting Fruit, Dairy, Livestock and Livestock Products Industries, and an Act affecting Canadian and British Insurance Companies.

The exploratory work of the Committee on Price Spreads and Mass Buying has awakened public conscience to the need of preventing unfair trade practices and exploitation of workers and price manipulation which unfavourably affects the consumer. Legislation is necessarily deferred until the work of the Committee has been concluded.

Members of the House of Commons: I thank you for the provision you have made for the public service.

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

The progressive improvement of general economic conditions in Canada which is presently much in evidence gives every indication of continuing in increasing measure. I commend the initiative, enterprise and indomitable spirit of the Canadian people and, for the many blessings that have been bestowed upon our Dominion, I join with you in heartfelt thanks to Divine Providence.

His Honour the SPEAKER OF THE SENATE then said:

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

It is His Excellency the Governor General's will and pleasure that this Parliament be prorogued until Monday, the 13th day of August next, to be here holden, and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued until Monday, the 13th day of August next.

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