

THE SENATE

Friday, June 20, 1952

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

Prayers and routine proceedings.

TREATY OF PEACE (JAPAN) BILL
REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Hon. Mr. Lambert presented the report of the Standing Committee on External Relations on Bill 210, an Act to provide for carrying into effect the Treaty of Peace between Canada and Japan.

The report was read by the Clerk Assistant as follows:

The Standing Committee on External Relations, to whom was referred Bill 210, an Act to provide for carrying into effect the Treaty of Peace between Canada and Japan, have in obedience to the order of reference of June 13, 1952, examined the said bill, and now beg leave to report the same without any amendment.

THIRD READING

The Hon. the Speaker: Honourable senators, when shall this bill be read the third time?

Hon. Mr. Robertson: With leave of the Senate, now.

The motion was agreed to, and the bill was read the third time, and passed.

→ CRIMINAL CODE BILL
REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Hon. J. W. de B. Farris presented the report of the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce on Bill H-8, an Act respecting the Criminal Law.

The report was read by the Clerk Assistant as follows:

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred Bill H-8, an Act respecting the Criminal Law, have in obedience to the order of reference of May 2, 1952, considered the said bill, and now beg leave to report as follows:

Your committee recommend that the bill be not further proceeded with at the present session.

The Hon. the Speaker: Honourable senators, when shall this report be considered?

Hon. Mr. Farris: With leave, I move that the report be concurred in now.

The motion was agreed to.

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CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS
CAPITAL REVISION BILL

PRINTING OF COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS

Hon. J. W. de B. Farris presented the report of the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce on Bill 308, an Act to revise the capital structure of the Canadian National Railway Company and to provide for certain other financial matters.

The report was read by the Clerk Assistant as follows:

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred Bill 308, an Act to revise the capital structure of the Canadian National Railway Company and to provide for certain other financial matters, beg leave to report as follows:

Your committee recommend that they be authorized to print 500 copies in English and 200 copies in French of its proceedings on the said bill, and that Rule 100 be suspended in relation to the said printing.

The Hon. the Speaker: Honourable senators, when shall this report be considered?

Hon. Mr. Farris: With leave, I move that the report be concurred in now.

The motion was agreed to.

IMMIGRATION BILL

NOTICE OF MOTION

Hon. Mr. Robertson: Honourable senators, I beg to give notice that at the next sitting I shall move:

That the Standing Committee on Immigration and Labour be authorized to examine the subject-matter of Bill 105, an Act respecting Immigration, presently before parliament, in advance of such bill reaching the Senate, and that the said committee be authorized to send for persons, papers and records.

Honourable senators, by Monday afternoon I shall have ascertained what progress has been made with this bill and whether a practical purpose would be served by considering it in committee in accordance with the notice which I have given. I shall advise the house at that time.

CANADIAN SHIPS AND SEAMEN
INQUIRY

On the notice of inquiry by Hon. Mr. Duff respecting Canadian ships and seamen:

Hon. Mr. Robertson: Honourable senators, this inquiry has been on the Order Paper for some time. It is a difficult one to answer, but the information will be given as soon as I can possibly obtain it.

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES BILL
SECOND READING

Hon. F. W. Gershaw moved the second reading of Bill 337, an Act respecting the Northwest Territories.