

enforcement of this section in connection with offences against any order or determination of the board or governor in council? Does the government always intend to carry on by blasting? This policy has already failed. I do not think it will be a success this time. That is why I cannot approve of this bill.

On motion of Mr. Spencer the debate was adjourned.

On motion of Mr. Bennett the house adjourned at 10.47 p.m.

Friday, April 27, 1934

The house met at three o'clock.

NEW MEMBER

Mr. SPEAKER: I have the honour to inform the house that the clerk of the house has received from the chief electoral officer certificates of the election and return, of Almon Secord Rennie, Esquire, for the electoral district of South Oxford.

NEW MEMBER INTRODUCED

Almon Secord Rennie, Esquire, member for the electoral district of South Oxford, introduced by Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. J. C. Elliott.

PRIVATE BILLS COMMITTEE

Sixth report of the select standing committee on miscellaneous private bills.—Mr. Maloney (for Mr. Stinson).

THOUSAND ISLANDS BRIDGE

Mr. M. J. MALONEY (South Renfrew) moved:

That Bill No. 27, an act to incorporate Thousand Islands Bridge Company, reported upon to-day by the select standing committee on miscellaneous private bills be placed upon the order paper of the house for consideration this day in committee of the whole, and for third reading.

Motion agreed to.

ESTIMATES, 1934-35

A message from His Excellency the Governor General transmitting estimates—Canadian Government Merchant Marine, Canadian National Steamships and Maritime Freight Rates

Act—for the financial year ending March 31, 1935, was presented by Hon. E. N. Rhodes, (Minister of Finance), read by Mr. Speaker to the house, and referred to the committee of supply.

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT AMENDMENT

Hon. MURRAY MacLAREN (Minister of Pensions and National Health) moved for leave to introduce Bill No. 70, to amend the Food and Drugs Act.

Some hon. MEMBERS: Explain.

Mr. MacLAREN: Mr. Speaker, the main purpose of this amending bill is to bring conformity between the Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act and the Food and Drugs Act by the introduction of a clause which will affect a similar list of diseases in both acts for which the sale of remedies is prohibited. The effect will be that the list of diseases in both acts will be similar.

Another provision in the amendments is that protection will be provided in reference to vinegar. The substitution of acetic acid for vinegar will be prevented.

Motion agreed to and bill read the first time.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

FUNDS TO MEET EXPENDITURE AND INDEBTEDNESS INCURRED DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1934

Hon. E. N. RHODES (Minister of Finance) moved that the house go into committee to consider the following proposed resolution:

That it is expedient to bring in a measure respecting the Canadian National Railways, 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.

He said: Mr. Speaker, the bill which it is intended to found on this resolution is designed to take care of the full financial requirements of the Canadian National Railways for the calendar year 1934. It provides for the raising of funds for equipment principal payments, sinking funds, and miscellaneous maturing obligations amounting to \$12,185,828; for construction and betterments \$4,202,007 and for the estimated net income deficits amounting to \$48,840,296. These amounts, in particular as respects the contemplated deficits, are arrived at as a result