

The House met at 12:00 Noon.

Prayers.

Hon. F. Corbett, Government House Leader, advised that with the unanimous consent of the House, the Late Debate subject would be carried over until Tuesday, April 16th. The motion carried.

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

Hon. D. Dexter, Premier, delivered a statement respecting the death of Rehtaeh Parsons and his plans for a comprehensive approach to the underlying problem under the direction of Hon. M. More, Minister responsible for the Advisory Council on the Status of Women Act, with full-time support of the Associate Deputy Minister of Community Services, Lynn Hartwell.

Comments were made by Hon. S. McNeil and Hon. J. Baillie.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

Pursuant to the order, the following notice was passed in at the Clerk's table:

Res. No. 281 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Minister of Fisheries and Aquaculture – congratulating Ducks Unlimited Canada and all their Nova Scotia members on their 75th anniversary.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced by the following Members, read a first and ordered to be read a second time on a future day:

No. 38. An Act to Amend Chapter 475 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Trade Union Act, Respecting First Contract Arbitration

(Hon. J. Baillie – Cumberland South)

No. 39. An Act to Amend Chapter 475 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Trade Union Act, to Protect

Users of Accessible Transit Services

(Hon. J. Baillie – Cumberland South)

SUPPLY UNTO HER MAJESTY

On motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole House on Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

The Chairman took the chair of the Committee.

On motion, the adjourned debate on the following Resolution was then resumed:

No. E5, relating to the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development. STOOD.

On motion, the following Resolutions were called:

No. E4, relating to the Department of Economic and Rural Development and Tourism. ADJOURNED.

On motion, the Committee rose and Madam Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair. The Chairman reported that the Committee had made some progress and begged leave to sit again.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Friday, April 12th at 9:00 A.M.

NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32

The following notices were passed in at the Clerk's table:

Res. No. 282 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Felicia Rushton on receiving a \$1000 bursary from North Star Masonic Lodge #74.

Res. No. 283 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Joe Rector for many years of service to sports teams and all the members of the public.

Res. No. 284 – C. Porter, Hants West – recognizing journalistic integrity and accomplishments of Ashley Thompson of the Hants Journal and wishing her success at the Newspapers Atlantic 2013 Better Newspapers Competition 41st Annual Conference.

Res. No. 285 – C. Porter, Hants West – paying tribute to Sheila Roberts on receiving the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal.

Res. No. 286 – C. Porter, Hants West – congratulating Avery's Valley Wild Midget AA Girls hockey team for capturing the provincial championship this year.

Res. No. 287 – C. Porter, Hants West – applauding the talents of Carlos De Rosa and wishing him continued success in his artistic endeavours.

Res. No. 288 – C. Porter, Hants West – applauding Gail Davis for her creative talents and wishing her continued success.

Res. No. 289 – C. Porter, Hants West – congratulating head coach, Laura Shearer and Kings-Edgehill girls hockey team on a successful season.

Res. No. 290 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Tim Colburn of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 25-year medal and service pin.

Res. No. 291 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Scott Parkhurst of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his new member's badge.

Res. No. 292 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Paul MacDonald of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 15-year service pin.

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Res. No. 294 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Mike Forbes of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 10-year service pin.

Res. No. 295 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Mark Langille of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 15-year

service pin.

Res. No. 296 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Kent MacDonald of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 20-year medal and service pin.

Res. No. 297 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Kenny Newcomb of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 10-year service pin.

Res. No. 298 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Kenny Anderson, a member of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 10-year service pin.

Res. No. 299 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Jim Forbes of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade for being named Fire Officer of the Year, as well as retiring chief.

Res. No. 300 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Jeremy Russell of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade for being named Firefighter of the Year.

Res. No. 301 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Jeffery Friesen of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade for being named Firefighter Most Interested in Training.

Res. No. 302 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Ian MacDonald of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 25-year medal and service pin and being named Fire Person of the Year.

Res. No. 303 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Ian Langille, Jr. of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade for receiving his new member's badge.

Res. No. 304 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Colin Cunningham of the Tatamagouche Fire Brigade on receiving his 35-year service pin.