

APPENDIX No. 3

Hon. Mr. BRODEUR.—Might I be permitted to make a suggestion to the Committee. We had asked Mr. Cunningham to come here and produce a statement on the question of hatcheries and the breeding of lobsters. Mr. Cunningham has prepared a statement and I would suggest that it be printed and incorporated with to-day's evidence. Each member of the Committee can read the statement over in the meantime and be prepared, if necessary, to question Mr. Cunningham at the next meeting of the Committee.

The CHAIRMAN.—Carried.

[For statement of Mr. Cunningham, see page 33.]

The CHAIRMAN.—I wish also to submit for the consideration of the Committee a statement which has been sent to me by Senator Ross. The honourable senator, as you all know, has for many years taken a great interest in the fisheries of Nova Scotia and has embodied his views in the statement referred to. Part of his statement deals with the question which we have been considering and extracts may be culled from it for the use of those people interested in lobsters. I wish to place it among the records of the Committee.

Mr. MACLEAN (Lunenburg).—Let it lie on the table until we have an opportunity of seeing it at the next meeting.

The CHAIRMAN.—I wish to submit it to the members of the Committee if they choose to look over it.

Mr. WARBURTON.—I would like to have summoned as a witness Mr. John S. Cousins, Park Corner, New London, P.E.I.

Mr. CROSBY.—And I would like to have as a witness on lobsters and oysters, Mr. Wilson of Halifax.

Hon. Mr. BRODEUR.—I would suggest the names of Messrs. William Whitman, Geo. Walsh, and Alexander Keating, Secretary of the Fish Union, Canso. These gentlemen can be notified by telegram as to the date upon which they will be required to attend.

Committee adjourned.