

representations as to that problem, and we would hope to clear up that matter in one meeting. On Thursday morning the Ottawa Civil Service will attend and I hope to finish with them in one meeting.

Mr. McILRAITH: Could we have the Civil Service Association on Wednesday afternoon along with the Professional Institute and the Civil Service Federation?

The CHAIRMAN: We can see how things turn out. That will leave Thursday afternoon and Thursday evening for consideration of the bill; and if members have read the bill I think they will agree with me that it is so intricate that consideration of it, clause by clause, is almost out of the question. We will simply call any clause which a member wants called. Subject to Mr. Ashbourne's representations we will hope to have the bill ready to be reported by Thursday night. Mr. Ashbourne, if anything serious comes up and you want the final report held up, all right.

Mr. ASHBOURNE: I will not ask that.