

Hon. Mr. MICHAUD: On the first page here, the occupations given are: Aviator, salesman, light keeper, salesman, salesman, clerk, mechanic, housewife, insurance broker, householder; the next page, painter, paint maker, storekeeper, and so on.

Mr. MACNICOL: What are they petitioning for?

The CHAIRMAN: They are petitioning against traps.

Mr. MACNICOL: What would these people with those vocations know about that?

Mr. RYAN: They may not know very much about traps. At the same time, the people living in that district have an indirect interest in such matters. I know that in my constituency matters in connection with fishing are far-reaching; and I think the people, no matter what their vocation is, who live in the area have an interest in the community. I do not know anything particularly about this petition, but I do say that you must give respect to those who are indirectly interested as well as those who are fishermen.

Mr. TAYLOR: Following that up, may I ask the minister what the addresses of those people are.

Mr. NEILL: I suggest the minister read them out.

Hon. Mr. MICHAUD: Thank you.

Mr. NEILL: There must be 1,800 of them.

Hon. Mr. MICHAUD: Among the addresses are Cook street, St. Patrick street, Hastings, Albert street, Cornish street, Albert Head, Colwood, and so on.

Mr. TAYLOR: One place there is over 20 miles away from the Sooke area.

Mr. REID: I do not think that has much bearing on it. I could get 2,000 signatures on the Fraser river area.

Hon. Mr. MICHAUD: Then there is Saanich.

Mr. TAYLOR: That is about 40 miles away.

Hon. Mr. MICHAUD: And Bamfield.

Mr. TAYLOR: Bamfield is 60 miles away.

Mr. NEILL: Bamfield is vitally interested and it is a fishing centre.

Mr. REID: We would not dispute that.

Hon. Mr. MICHAUD: Pachena, Salt Spring, Rocky Point—

Mr. RYAN: We are going to have this petition on the record, why bring the names in now?

Hon. Mr. MICHAUD: Because the information was asked for and I am trying to give it to the best of my ability. There are some 1,794 names and addresses on the list.

Mr. RYAN: Is it your intention to have these all placed on the record, Mr. Chairman?

The CHAIRMAN: I do not think we can publish all these names. I think we had better settle that right now. The clerk of the committee wants to know how many of these names are to be published. I think it would be in order to give the first two or three names and then say that 1,790 followed.

Mr. REID: That is all right.

Mr. TOMLINSON: And you should, of course, include the heading of the petition.

The CHAIRMAN: Yes, the petition will be incorporated in the record, and it will be followed by the first few names on the petition and then the number of those following will be indicated.

Mr. NEILL: Perhaps I might say for the information of the committee that from the names which have been indicated it is apparent that the petition was signed by people living in the vicinity of Victoria and generally on Van-