

Q. That is the whole case with reference to inaccuracy. Is that right?—
A. That is right.

Q. Well, can we pass on to something else?

Mr. SMITH (*Calgary West*): Yes.

By Mr. Fulton:

Q. One point on which a question might be asked in view of some of the other questions is this: does Mr. Aldred know the percentage of programs over the Dominion network which originate at CJBC, and the percentage of the Trans-Canada network programs which originate at CBL?—A. Because it is a production centre of the C.B.C., it is bound to be high.

Q. Therefore you can see no way by which the average for the rest of Canada could bring the C.B.C. statement up to higher than 83 per cent?—A. That is right.

Q. Because most of the programming originates in Toronto where you made your examination?—A. That is right.

By Mr. Stewart:

Q. What percentage of the programs originate in Toronto?—A. I do not know the exact percentage of the programs which originate in Toronto.

Q. I do not know myself, but I do not think that Mr. Fulton's estimate is quite valid, if you do not know.—A. The statement indicates that 83 per cent of the programming originating in stations is Canadian in content and in scope. That is the point I am driving at.

Q. You have no knowledge of the French network?—A. That is quite correct, because no reference has been made to it in the submission to the Massey Commission by the C.B.C.

By Mr. Langlois:

Q. You mean no break-down?—A. That is right.

The CHAIRMAN: Have you anything else, Mr. Aldred?

The WITNESS: That is all I have.

The CHAIRMAN: Mr. Aldred has presented all the evidence that he desires to give, all that he has to suggest to us in support of his letters, so I presume that we can dispense with Mr. Aldred now.

Mr. RILEY: I would like to ask one further question, if I may. You have not referred to television in anything you said here today?

The WITNESS: There is no mention of T.V. and other things because once again I would run into that hearsay problem.

Mr. RILEY: Now, Mr. Chairman, I would like to say something to clear up the main point. Do you consider now, Mr. Aldred, that while you have been here you have had a fair hearing?

The WITNESS: As a matter of fact, the first thing I was going to say when I came in here today was this—it certainly was in my mind—that I felt somehow in my own mind, and I still feel it in my own mind, that there has been a certain degree of marked reluctance to hear anything that I might have to say. I also want to make this point very clear, that it would be quite possible for me to give extremely detailed information, but once again we are going to run into this hearsay question and the question of my naming certain C.B.C. employees specifically, and it is not my intention to do so at the present time or in the future. The result is that I will conclude my remarks right now. I feel that there has been a certain amount of unbending as far as a majority of the members of this committee are concerned, within my own mind. I may be wrong but I feel also that a majority of the members of the committee show a marked attitude of, let us protect the C.B.C. at all cost.