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*In attendance:* Mr. E. S. B. Hind, Dominion Secretary-Treasurer of the Tuberculous Veterans' Association.

Mr. Hind was called, sworn, and examined regarding the treatment of tuberculosis cases of ex-service men. He recommended that the standard of the American Tuberculosis Association be adopted in Canada. Also that the time limit of one year after discharge for the diagnosis of tubercular cases should be extended.

The witness recommended that the jurisdiction of the Federal Appeal Board should be extended to cover assessment.

Mr. MacNeil received permission from the Chairman to make a statement corroborating Mr. Hind's evidence, and cited illustrative cases.

After further questions Mr. Hind concluded his evidence and was discharged from further attendance.

Mr. Arthurs gave notice of the following motion:—

Moved by Mr. Arthurs, seconded by Mr. Caldwell,—

“(1) That any member of the forces or a dependent or prospective dependent shall have the right to appeal to the Federal Appeal Board from any decision of the Board of Pension Commissioners provided that:—

(a) He shall file with the Federal Appeal Board a statement showing what decision he desires to appeal from, and give reasons.

(b) That the Federal Appeal Board find the above reasons sufficient to warrant such appeal.

The Sub-committee was requested to meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Committee adjourned at 12.55 o'clock p.m. to meet again Monday, July 7, at 11 o'clock a.m.

J. P. DOYLE,

*Acting Clerk of the Committee.*

COMMITTEE ROOM No. 436,

MONDAY, July 7, 1924.

The Committee met at 11 o'clock a.m., Mr. Jean J. Denis, the Chairman presiding.

*Other Members present were:*—Messrs. Black (Yukon), Clark, Humphrey, McKay, Raymond, Robinson, Ross, Sinclair (Oxford), Shaw, and Speakman.—11.

*In attendances*—Mr. Maber, Acting Chairman Soldier Settlement Board

The Chairman read a telegram from the Amputations Association advising that their delegates would be here Tuesday, July 8th, 1924.

The Chairman read a letter from Mr. Hind, Dominion Secretary-Treasurer, Tuberculous Veterans' Association, citing individual cases in support of the evidence submitted by him.

Moved by Mr. Humphrey, seconded by Mr. Shaw,

“That in view of the representations and information presented to this Committee: