The suggestion having been made that individual companies be heard, it was agreed to refer the matter to the companies themselves as to their desire to make representations through one or more of their representatives.

Statistics relative to mortgages in Canada, submitted by the Minister of Finance, appear as an Appendix to this day's proceedings.

At 6 o'clock the Committee adjourned until to-morrow, Tuesday, May 30, at 11.15 a.m.

R. ARSENAULT, Clerk of the Committee.