

Mr. FULTON: May we have a show of hands?

Mr. BLACKMORE: It should be recorded.

(Chairman's ruling carried on recorded vote.)

The CHAIRMAN: Now, we have disposed of the ruling on the amendment. We shall now deal with the amendment to the motion.

I suppose you want that recorded too?

Mr. FULTON: I think we should; it will save time later.

The CHAIRMAN: Are you ready for the question?

(Amendment carried on recorded vote.)

Now, we shall deal with the motion as amended.

Do you want this vote recorded?

Mr. FULTON: Carried on division.

Carried.

Hon. Mr. HARRIS: May I just interrupt long enough to put on the record the treaties that Mr. Hatfield was so concerned about. I forgot them. (See Appendix B.)

Mr. APPLEWHAITE: Are they in effect?

Hon. Mr. HARRIS: Well we had a good deal of difficulty in deciding what treaties he had in mind. The one that he spoke of by name is here. All that it says, is a reference to hunting and fishing as referred to in the Syillyboy case, also it provides for them meeting annually for the purpose of swearing allegiance.

The CHAIRMAN: Shall the bill carry?

Mr. FULTON: On division.

The CHAIRMAN: It is moved by Mr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Welbourn that the bill be reprinted as amended.

Carried.

Shall I report the bill to the House?

Mr. FULTON: Mr. Chairman, I think there are one or two recommendations which some members of the committee would be glad to suggest should be incorporated in the report to the House. I would like to suggest, therefore, that we have a further meeting at which the report can be considered and adopted.

Hon. Mr. HARRIS: I speak subject to correction but I think the only duty of the committee is to report the bill with or without amendment, and that you cannot add other matters. Perhaps I am wrong.

The CHAIRMAN: That is the usual thing.

Mr. FULTON: Your position is that the committee is not in a position where it can make recommendations to the House?

Hon. Mr. HARRIS: Recommendations should be incorporated as amendments to the bill if you want it done that way. This is not a committee to investigate Indian affairs, it is a special committee to deal with the bill.

Mr. NOSEWORTHY: Would you read the letter that I gave you? I want that on the record and you have not disposed of it.

The CHAIRMAN: It is a letter addressed to Mr. J. W. Noseworthy, M.P., at the House of Commons, Ottawa, Ontario, and dated April 9, 1951:

Dear Mr. Noseworthy:

We the undersigned Mohawk Six Nation Confederacy Life Chiefs on the Lake of Two Mountains Kanasatake desire the privilege of appearing before the parliamentary committee set up for the purpose of studying Bill No. 79.