

The CLERK: The first letter is from the Vancouver Board of Trade, and is as follows:—

March 30th, 1936.

C. R. McINTOSH, Esq.,
Chairman, Standing Committee on
Industrial & International Relations,
Ottawa, Canada.

DEAR MR. McINTOSH,—I am instructed by the Council of this Board to extend to you their sincere appreciation for the assistance which you gave to Mr. F. H. Clendenning, our representative who recently visited Ottawa and addressed the Special Committee of the House appointed to deal with the resolution of Mr. Thos. Reid, M.P., regarding the employment of orientals on Canadian vessels and the substitution thereof of white Canadians.

Mr. Clendenning speaks very highly of the assistance which was given him and for the many courtesies extended.

Yours very truly,

W. E. PAYNE,
Executive Secretary,
Vancouver Board of Trade.

The second letter to the chairman is from the Vancouver Chamber of Shipping, and reads as follows:—

March 27, 1936.

C. R. McINTOSH, Esq.,
Chairman, Industrial and
International Relations Committee,
Ottawa.
Dear Sir:—

Mr. F. H. Clendenning, having reported on his activities while recently in Ottawa in connection with matters referred to him by the Chamber of Shipping, at a General Meeting held to-day, I am directed to convey to you the thanks of this organization for the great courtesy extended by you to Mr. Clendenning as our representative and for the assistance which you rendered to him in forwarding the object of his visit.

Yours truly,

J. HAMILTON,
Secretary,
Vancouver Chamber of Shipping.

The third communication is addressed to myself, as clerk of the committee, and reads as follows:—

March 28, 1936.

Walter HILL, Esq.,
Secretary, Committee Industrial &
International Relations,
House of Commons,
Ottawa.
Dear Sir:

I note from newspaper reports that our telegraphic enquiry of March 24th was placed before your committee on 27th inst., and that the committee ruled that no further witnesses from the Vancouver