

*By the Chairman:*

Q. When do you expect this general statement to be prepared?—A. In just two or three days we can have it for you. I do not think you will have to delay very long.

The CHAIRMAN: In view of the declaration of Major Barnett that he would not be prepared to go any further, I suppose we might adjourn now. Before that, however, I wish to inform the Committee that the third report of the Ralston Commission will be printed some time this week. Therefore, we are waiting on two things, this general statement of Major Barnett's, and the report of the Ralston Commission. In view of the fact that Major Barnett declares his general statement will take two or three days to prepare,—which is a short time after all—perhaps we had better decide now not to fix any date for the next meeting, but as soon as these statements are available, the Committee will be called together.

The witness retired.

The Committee adjourned.

[Major John Barnett.]