

was in Toronto I was presented to Dr. Morrison who is in charge of Sunnybrook Hospital. I was presented to him by the deputy minister, and the deputy minister asked me if it would be possible for me to stay overnight and visit Sunnybrook. I suggested to the deputy minister and to Dr. Morrison that it might be worth while, and very much better, if at a later date the Committee itself could go maybe to Toronto—take a morning flight and come back in the evening—and visit Sunnybrook. Dr. Morrison thinks that it would be of much interest to the Committee if we could be there some time this year.

Mr. MACRAE: This was done in 1959, I think.

The CHAIRMAN: Yes, about five years ago.

Mr. MACRAE: That is right and it was very interesting.

The CHAIRMAN: There has been a change in administration over there. They have problems of the chronic cases and all that, and we could get information that would be useful to the members of the Committee. Anyway, at a later date I will have an opportunity to discuss it either with the Minister or with the deputy minister and we see time available we can look forward to organizing such a visit, if the Committee has no objection.

The next item on the agenda is presentation of the second report of the subcommittee on Agenda and Procedure. I would ask the clerk to read the report.

*(See Minutes of Proceedings)*

Mr. CARTER: Mr. Chairman, to go back to the first part, would you repeat the dates for the Hong Kong veterans visit.

The CLERK: "That we invite representatives of the Hong Kong veterans Association of Canada to appear before the committee on May 17 next", which is a Tuesday.

Mr. CARTER: All right, thank you.

The CHAIRMAN: Now, if you recall, at our last meeting we had received a letter from the National President and National Secretary of the Hong Kong Veterans' Association telling us that they could not appear before the committee at this time, and that they had already presented a brief to the Woods Commission, but Mr. Gerald Mann attended at that last meeting and he saw me when I left this room. He had the authority to make arrangements in the name of the Hong Kong Veterans as to the selection of a date and these people said there were two reasons why they were not able to come at this time for the purpose of presenting a brief. The first one was that they did not have any money, and it was not always easy for them to get organized and to come to Ottawa, and, secondly, they did not have enough time to prepare a second brief beside the one they had prepared for the Woods Commission. After discussing this with him we came to an agreement that May 17 would give them all the time that was needed and on that condition they were very happy to accept our invitation. So I did receive a letter dated April 27 from Mr. Delbridge and Mr. Lytle, National President and National Secretary who confirmed that they will be here attending our meeting of May 17, at 9.30 p.m. If the report is accepted we will ask the clerk of the Committee to write back and confirm the date and the hour.