

Mr. MacINNIS: I presume that they would know to what extent the report was put into effect—or the recommendations in the report?

WITNESS: Generally speaking, I think there has been some progress made in the matter. I am, obviously, unable to say what consideration the Government has given to the report, because I do not know.

The CHAIRMAN: Does this meet with the approval of the committee: we will ask Mr. Bland that the Civil Service Commission should be requested to make a report to the committee in pursuance of the matters suggested under the heading "general economies" on page 8 of the report of the Civil Service Commission for the year 1933?

Mr. CHEVRIER: With reference to amalgamation and co-ordination.

The CHAIRMAN: With reference to amalgamation and co-ordination of services. Does that meet with the approval of the committee?

Mr. CHEVRIER: The surveying and mapping services, just to put it in the way the section reads.

The CHAIRMAN: I notice that other matters are referred to such as legal services and medical services. Do you wish to confine it to surveying and mapping services?

Mr. CHEVRIER: It was because the recommendation was made that way.

The CHAIRMAN: We will confine it to surveying and mapping services for the time being.

(Carried.)

Now, is there anything else you like to have Mr. Bland discuss this morning?

Mr. CHEVRIER: We made a report in our last committee recommending under some twenty-five different heads certain things, and we come this year to see what has been done with those recommendations. It is rather late now, but it might be well if we had a synopsis from the Civil Service Commission, say, with reference to paragraph 3 of the report, for instance, showing what has been done; then, with regard to paragraph 4, showing what has been done, and we will take the residue—whatever the commission has done in compliance with the report. I have no interest in going over it.

The CHAIRMAN: Pardon me. The former committee's report is divisible into three sections, the first section containing ten recommendations. It is not divided in fact, but it really is divisible. The first ten recommendations were included in statutory amendments to the Civil Service Act. There can be no advantage in having Mr. Bland deal with those.

*By Mr. Chevrier:*

Q. Have the amendments been introduced into this copy of the data that has been furnished?—Yes, I think so.

Q. All those statutory recommendations that have been made?—A. On the first ten.

The CHAIRMAN: All down to ten are out. Would you like Mr. Bland to prepare a resumé of No. 11—

Mr. CHEVRIER: To the end.

The CHAIRMAN: Well, 26, 27, 28 and 29 have nothing to do with the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission.

Mr. CHEVRIER: Say to 26.

The CHAIRMAN: Suppose we say from 11 to 25 inclusive. Does that meet with the approval of the committee?

Mr. POULIOT: Why not put in 26?