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The Committee then proceeded to consider the two resolutions relating to the appointment of the Committee and the questions referred to it by the House, as set forth at pages 82 and 96 of the Votes and Proceedings, and upon motion of Mr. MacNutt, seconded by Mr. Turgeon, it was resolved that the Committee take up the pension question before proceeding to the question of re-establishment.

The Secretary was instructed to request the Board of Pension Commissioners to prepare for the next meeting of the Committee a written statement respecting amendments to the existing pension law which the said Board might have in mind to suggest to the Committee; also, that Mr. C. G. MacNeil, Dominion Secretary of the Great War Veterans Association be advised that the Committee will receive and consider a written statement containing the views of the said association in respect to the existing pension law and amendments thereto which they might desire to submit for consideration.

Mr. Lang moved, seconded by Mr. McGibbon that the Committee obtain leave to print its proceedings and evidence from day to day for the use of the Committee; also, that the quorum of the Committee be reduced to nine members,—which was agreed to.

Mr. Brien and other honourable members, owing to the frequent and long sittings of the Committee, urged upon the necessity of providing additional easy chairs and the Secretary was accordingly instructed to see the proper authorities in the matter.

The Committee then adjourned until Tuesday, 13th April, at 11 a.m.

V. CLOUTIER,

Secretary.

H. CRONYN,

Chairman.

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COMMITTEE ROOM 436,

WEDNESDAY, June 16, 1920.

- 1. The Committee met at three o'clock, the Chairman, Mr. Cronyn, presiding.
- 2. Other Members present: Messieurs Arthurs, Béland, Bolton, Brien, Caldwell, Chisholm, Clark, Cooper, Copp, Edwards, Green, Lang, MacNutt, McCurdy, McGregor, Peck, and Sutherland,—18.
- 3. The Committee at once resolved itself into executive session to consider its revised report relating to pensions. After consideration thereof Mr. Nesbitt moved, Mr. Edwards seconding, that the report be adopted as amended. Motion unanimously carried.
- 4. The Committee then proceeded to the further consideration of the revised amendments to the Pension Act, and after consideration thereof Mr. Green moved, Mr. Nesbitt seconding, that the said amendments as read be adopted. Motion carried.
- 5. The Committee also considered the Schedules to the Act, and the Committee proceeded accordingly until 6 o'clock, when it adjourned.

H. CRONYN.

Chairman.

V. CLOUTIER, Secretary.