

## ORDER OF REFERENCE

HOUSE OF COMMONS,

OTTAWA, March 8, 1927.

*Resolved*,—That a Special Committee of this House consisting of Messrs. Stewart (Edmonton West), Hay, McPherson, Morin (St. Hyacinthe-Rouville), Stevens, Bennett, and Boys, be appointed to meet with a similar Special Committee of the Senate, if such Committee be appointed, to inquire into the claims of the Allied Indian Tribes of British Columbia as set forth in their petition submitted to Parliament in June, 1926; and that such Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records, and to report from time to time by bill or otherwise.

*Attest.*

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,  
*Clerk of the House.*

THURSDAY, March 24, 1927.

*Ordered*,—That 500 copies in English and 200 copies in French of evidence to be taken by the said Committee, and of papers and records to be incorporated with such evidence, be printed, and that Rule 74 be suspended in relation thereto.

*Attest.*

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,  
*Clerk of the House.*

THURSDAY, March 31, 1927.

*Ordered*,—That the said Committee have leave to sit while the House is sitting.

*Attest.*

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,  
*Clerk of the House.*

## REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEES

## FIRST REPORT

TUESDAY, March 22, 1927.

The Special Committee appointed to inquire into the claims of the Allied Indian tribes of British Columbia, beg leave to present the following as their First Report:—

Your Committee recommend that 500 copies in English and 200 copies in French of evidence to be taken, and of papers and records to be incorporated with such evidence, be printed, and that Rule 74 be suspended in relation thereto.

All which is respectfully submitted.

F. W. HAY,  
*Chairman.*

*Note.*—This Report was concurred in on 24th March. *See Journals*, p. 393.